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HIS LOVE GREW COLD

Alleges Pretty Rose Crane Against P. J. Riley.

Interesting Breach of Promise Suit on Trial in Superior Court—Plaintiff Had Begun to Get Her Wedding Gown—Testimony Refreshingly Free From Sensational Features.

The Riley case which was begun yesterday noon in superior court is on again today and will take all day and perhaps a portion of tomorrow's time.

The opening testimony of the case as appeared in yesterday's edition of The Sun will appear on page 6 of today's. The later testimony with the plaintiff, Miss Crane, on the stand is as follows:

"In July we went to Nantasket beach on Sunday. Mr. Riley hired a conveyance and we drove over the Jerusalem road. We had a tintype taken at Nantasket."

Here the tintype was produced, and the jurors inspected it individually.

"On July 4 we went to an outing at Long Pond, my two sisters accompanying us. We drove there in Mr. Riley's carryall. We stayed there all day" continued the witness.

"On August, 1898, we went to Lynn in a carryall and two horses owned and driven by Mr. Riley. My younger sister was with us. We arrived there in the afternoon. We stopped at the Nahant House. Mr. Riley stayed there over Sunday. We all spent Sunday evening at the Nahant House. He left Monday and returned Wednesday evening and spent the evening with me. We met him on the beach the following day and we all went in bathing. I left Lynn Friday noon as my sister was ill. On the Monday night following he called at the house and we went to ride through Chelmsford. We went to the fete on the Butler grounds and stayed there until 12 o'clock. I think there were about 1000 people there.

"After my return from the beach he took me to a lawn party in the Oaklands. Mr. Riley asked me to go to Palmer with him. My chum, Miss Maguire, was in Palmer. He had business in Springfield and wanted me to stay in Palmer while he was at Springfield. I went to Palmer on a Thursday evening in August. When we got to the depot we found that we could not make connections as Mr. Riley's brother informed us on the train. Then we went to Lynn and stayed with Mr. Riley's brother's folks that night. I slept with Mr. Riley's daughter.

The next morning we started for Palmer and arrived there at 11 o'clock. We started on Wednesday instead of Thursday and went to Palmer on Thursday, leaving there on Friday afternoon. We had dinner with Miss Maguire's folks, after which he went to Springfield but returned that night. After that, we went to Glen Forest a few times.

LOVE GREW COLD.

"After our trips to Glen Forest, I noticed a change in him. He didn't call as often as formerly and I noticed the change in a great many ways. I didn't say anything to him about it. On Sept. 28 he did not call for the first Wednesday since we had been going together. He called the following Saturday and said he was going to Manchester, Sunday. I insisted on his not going and he said he would put it off until next Sunday and he took me out riding on that Sunday. On the Sunday of October 2 he did not call having told me during the week that he was going to Manchester.

"When he did call I heard he was calling on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere. I asked him if he had called on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere, on that Wednesday night. He said he had as they were old friends of his, and he had been invited by a young lady named Miss Cullman. He said he didn't call there to see any one in particular and would not call again if it hurt my feelings.

"Then he told me that he was going to Manchester the following Sunday. I went to his house Sunday morning and found him in the house. When I asked him about Manchester he said he had lost his train. I told him that he had no intention of going there but was going to take a young lady to ride. He denied this and afterwards drove me home. He said he would call in the afternoon but did not call until evening. He said then that he had to look over his books in the afternoon.

"He called on me the following Thursday and I asked him why he didn't come on Wednesday and he didn't satisfy me with the explanation. I asked him if he had been on Pleasant street and he laughed it off. He denied having even been there Sunday afternoon.

"On the 16th of October we went to ride in the afternoon. He promised to call again in the evening but he didn't come. I went to his house and I asked him why he didn't call on Sunday and he said he didn't care to call. He then asked me if I came to see him or Miss O'Neil. I said I came to see him. He said he was going out and asked me to go out with him. We drove up School street and I walked in the carriage while he went into a house to see a friend. Then we went to Pawtucketville and returned at 10 o'clock. He promised to call on me the following Wednesday evening but did not. I went to his home the following night with a letter to leave for him. I found him there and told him that as long as he was there I would burn it. I put it in the stove and Mrs. O'Neil took it out. Mr. Riley looked in the stove and said I did not put it in. Mrs. O'Neil then gave it to me and I gave it to Mr. Riley. He said the reason he did not call the night before was because it rained too hard. I told him that he did go out and he only laughed.

He promised to call on me and explain himself. He didn't call that week and I went to his home and found him there. I asked him why he didn't call and he said he had business to attend to. I said he wasn't treating me right and he said he was. I accused him of keeping company with another young lady. He said that he had other places that he preferred to go before going to see me. When I started to go home, he said, 'you aren't going to leave me now?' I said: 'I am going home.' He said: 'You aren't going to take a man out in this rain!' Then we started out. When we were passing Bowers street he said that he was sorry he ever got me to leave Bowers street. I asked him if he remembered what he had said to me when I was leaving there and he began to sing me a love song. Later on I asked him why he was acting so and he didn't reply. Then I asked him if he was going to cast me off and he said he was going to break up housekeeping and go to live in a hotel and I could call and see him. I told him I never would.'

"I then asked him if he remembered his promise and he said: Sometimes my yes means no. I am never going to get married. I must mend my ways."

"He told me then to get another fellow and no one would know whether I left him or he left me.' I told him I would never get another fellow. Then he said: 'Well, I'll call on you and go around with you but I will never marry you.'

I asked him if he didn't mean anything when he was making love to me. He said: "Oh, no, weren't you ever in love before? That is nothing; you will get over it easy enough." I told him it was enough to drive anybody wild and he said that I wouldn't feel it long. He said he had been in love lots of times."

At this point the court adjourned until today.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

Court open at 9.30 this morning with a good sized audience and prior to the calling off the Crane-Riley case the court considered the motion of Mr. Qua in the Townsend case. This however, took up only a few minutes after which the plaintiff, Miss Crane, resumed the stand.

She testified: "When I told him I had left my work and that I could not go back, he said, 'You can go back all right; you'll get over that.' I told him that it was too late to talk like this. He must marry me and what he thought my folks would think. He said that they were only a pack of fools that he had made up his mind long ago using profane language and that he didn't care what they thought. He was not going to marry. Lots of girls he said, naming them, had told him that they loved him and he said he could have got married three years ago if he wanted to. He also said: 'You'll get over this all right. Then he promised to call on me the following Sunday crossing his throat when he promised. He did not call. The following Tuesday, October 25, he came to the door and talked with ther there. He would not come in and used profane language. *This call was in response to a letter which I sent him on Monday.* That was the last time I saw him. He said there were threats in the letter I sent him.

A bunch of letters was produced at this point and the witness asked to point out the one written on October 24. It was not there.

Resuming her testimony Miss Crane said: "I asked him in the letter why he was treating me so terribly. I told him that I was near broken-hearted and could not stand it. Why should you ever let it come to this? Why didn't you tell me long ago? It was a long letter but I can't remember it all. I asked him how I should ever tell my folks and that I would die before I'd tell them. I had said so much in his praise that I was ashamed to tell them and could never look them in the face.

"I asked him what the threats were and he said, 'They were threats on yourself which were just the same as if you put them on me.' He said I didn't come here to answer questions. You don't talk sense. Go back to your work, you haven't committed any crime there. I worked there before you did. I told him I was going away and he wanted to know where. I wouldn't tell him. He asked if my folks knew I was going and I said they did not. He then said: "If you think so much of your folks, you ought to tell them.' I told him that I was going away on Thursday and he said he would see me before I went.

"We talked over our wedding at the time of his proposal and we set the date for October 19th. As the time drew near, I got everything ready for our marriage. I bought clothing and things for the house. I got a couch, furnishings for a chamber room and in fact every room in the house, dining room, parlor, kitchen, everything that one would desire to keep house. I showed them all to Mr. Riley on several occasions. I got my own clothing, wedding gown, house dress, underclothing and everything else one would need. I gave my notice on the 19th of September and left on the following 27th.

This ended the direct examination at this point the other jury was excused until tomorrow.

CROSS-EXAMINATION.

The first question put by Mayor Crowley in cross-examination was, "How old are you?"

"I was 27 years old on April 28th last," was the answer.

In response to further questions she reviewed her early residence in Lowell practically as she gave it in her direct testimony.

"Did you know when Mr. Riley's first wife died?" asked Mayor Crowley during the cross-examination.

"Yes, I read it on her tombstone. Mr. Riley took me to see her grave in the cemetery," answered the witness.

A great part of the early cross-examination was given to a review of the facts leading up to their close acquaintance and subsequent alleged proposal. Miss Crane testified in answer to a question and said that while they were going together Mr. Riley only missed two Wednesday evenings at her house and on one of these his brother's death called him away. She explained the presentation of the opera glasses at Christmas, saying that two nights before Christmas Mr. Riley took her to the Opera House and after they were seated he drew out the glasses from their case and passed them to her without a word. "I didn't think they were a present, then," said Miss Crane, "and after I had finished with them, I returned them to him and he put them in the case and put the case in his pocket. When we went home that night he gave me the glasses and told me they were a Christmas present. At that time she said I thought his attentions were more than mere friendship and as I had never taken presents from anyone, I didn't want to take them at first. But when he said he didn't give presents to any one else and said it was all right then I took it."

"Didn't you have some other motive?"

"Well, if he meant more than friendship I would accept the present but otherwise, I would not and that was partly why I made the remark.

During her entire examination Miss Crane had stood, while testifying but at this point, becoming wearied of the great strain she took a chair and began to relate the circumstances surrounding the proposal made by Mr. Riley.

"The proposal was made" she said, "on Wednesday, Jan. 26. I remember the date because I put it down in a memorandum and because Mr. Riley called my attention to it. When the others left the room, Mr. Riley drew up near where I was sitting and asked me to come and sit close to him. Then he began to lament about his brother's death, saying that people did not sympathize with him, seeming to think that he didn't need it. He said you might have brothers and sisters and friends who would sympathize with you but neither brothers, sisters nor friends could comfort and care for you as a wife could. Then he talked of marriage life and said he didn't like to live alone. He said: "I can get plenty of old maids and widows for a wife, but I want a nice young lady.' He said further that he wanted his daughter to live with him but not until he had a wife. Then he said that I had very bright ideas and put him very much in mind of his wife which he had often told me before. Then he said I could take her place very well, and concluded with 'What do you say?' I said yes. Then he said that he didn't expect me to love him as much as he loved me, but he said he would teach me to love him and he declared his love for me. He then spoke about the engagement present and spoke of a ring and a watch. He said we would note always live on Mt. Washington street."

"Did you ever hear that Mr. Riley had the reputation on Mt. Washington street of being a very wealthy man?" asked Mr. Crowley.

"I heard he was well to do," answered the witness.

"When you kept company with him you had that in your mind didn't you?

"Well, I didn't think much about it. Yes, I had it in my mind.'

(See Second Edition.)

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NO PEACE TERMS YET

Although Another Conference Has Been Held With Otis

Now the Filipino Envoys Want an Armistice of Three Months—Gen. Otis Will Not Recognize Local Government.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 3 (12.10 p. m.)—There was a conference lasting two hours today between Major General E. S. Otis and the envoys who came here from General Antonio Luna bearing a proposal for a cessation of hostilities. General Otis adhered to his refusal to recognize the so-called government of the insurgents. The Filipinos now ask for a truce of three months to enable Aguinaldo to summon the congress and consult with the insurgent leaders on the other islands. The envoys admitted the contention of General Otis that Aguinaldo has little control over affairs outside of the island of Luzon. The question of the release of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos being mentioned, Major Manuel Arguelles, the chief member of the deputation, said that he considered them as being in the same category with the Americans, the United States being the successor of Spain in its dominion over the island and acquiring by treaty all Spanish rights and obligations. After the close of the conference with General Otis, the Filipino envoys had a consultation with the United States Philippine commissioners.

TWENTY ROUNDS

Fought By Peter Maher And Ruhlin

A DESPERATE BATTLE FOR VICTORY

But Neither Was Able to Get Decision.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Peter Maher fought his longest and best battle when he met Gus Ruhlin at the Lenox Athletic club last night. The bout lasted 20 rounds, and 6000 persons witnessed it, Maher being the odds-on favorite at 100 to 5. The referee decided it a draw.

Maher weighed 181 pounds and Ruhlin 190.

In the first round Ruhlin landed a right smash on Maher which almost closed one of the latter's eyes. A hard right on the body sent Ruhlin to the floor, Peter later smashed a hard right to Ruhlin's right eye, making it bleed.

In the second round Ruhlin had all the better of it. In the third round Maher outpointed his man on leads, and sent in damaging blows on wind and head Ruhlin was on the defensive. The fourth and fifth rounds were uneventful.

Maher forced the fighting in the sixth round, but Ruhlin fought back cleverly. Both of Maher's eyes were "bunged up" when he toed the mark for the seventh round, during which little was done.

In the eighth Ruhlin sent a hard left to Peter's left eye, drawing the blood, and the Irishman went back with both hands, swinging on neck and body. A straight left to the jaw from Ruhlin in the ninth round staggered Maher, although he exchanged rapid blows on the body.

Ruhlin's eyes were in mourning when he came up for the tenth round, and Peter sent lefts and rights to them in quick succession. One landed on body and head effectively. He sent a straight left jab to the face in the 11th round and another to the mouth, making the Irishman stagger.

Ruhlin forced the pace in the 12th round. In the next he was much the stronger, but he was careful. Maher had the call at the bell. A right swing on the face in the 14th round from Ruhlin almost put Maher through the ropes, but the Irishman came back without a falter.

Maher had all the better of the 15th round. In the 16th the pace was evidently having a serious effect on each, but Maher at the close was the fresher.

Ruhlin was too slow in the 17th round and Maher sent the blood flying from his nose and mouth with lefts and rights. Hard work on both sides was the condition of affairs in the 18th round. In the 19th, Ruhlin ducked into the left hand hook, which made his left eye bleed. Maher whipped in two left uppercuts on the body and sent in two clean lefts on the body.

In the 20th round, Ruhlin landed a right on the head and Maher countered on the stomach and later on the wind. Ruhlin stood off Maher's rushes and the referee, Charlie White, decided the bout a draw.

In the first preliminary, Bob Gormully of New York made Jack Lawson the Terrible Swede of this city, quit in the second round of an encounter at 134 pounds and in the next bout Gormully defeated Harry Stiles, colored, also of this city, putting the negro to sleep in the fourth round with a right-hand punch on the jaw.

CITY COMMITTEE

Fixes May 18 as Date for Caucuses.

THE MEMBERS WILL BE DELEGATES

To a Nominating Convention to be Held Later.

The executive committee of the democratic city committee met last night in the office of Chairman J. Joseph O'Connor.

The object of last evening's meeting was to arrange for the election of the members of the city committee. Thursday May 18, was named as the date.

Then it was suggested that the delegates elected to the city committee at that time serve as delegates to a municipal convention to be held in the fall to nominate candidates for mayor, chief of department of supplies and nine aldermen. After a little discussion this developed into a motion and went through without any extensive opposition. The delegates will be unpledged.

It was further voted that each candidate for membership on the city committee be assessed $5.

DEATHS.

ALDRICH—Warren Aldrich, aged 59 years, 9 months and 22 days, died this morning at his late home, 243 Appleton street.

McSHEA—Margaret McShea, aged 53 years, 3 months, died this morning at 31 Lagrange street. She was an old resident of Lowell having resided here about fifty years and was a highly esteemed member of St. Patrick's parish. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Edward McShea, and a daughter, Annie McShea; one brother, Richard, of Concord, N. H., and two sisters, Mrs. Ash of Bethlehem, N. H. and Mrs. Hannah Condon of Lowell. Funeral Friday afternoon.

JALBERT—John Jalbert the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper J. Jalbert died Monday at his parents' home on Grafton street, Worcester, of meningitis. The boy attended the Grafton street school. The funeral was held at the residence today at 8.15 o'clock and a requiem high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Stephen's church in Worcester. The burial was in Lowell.

WARDWELL—Mrs. Jennie A. Wardwell wife of Nelson H. B. Wardwell died at her home, 88 Cambridge street yesterday, aged 57 years, 3 months and 2 days.

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HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the High street church Women's Home Missionary society was held at the home of the pastor, Rev. C. W. Huntington, last evening, a number of ladies being in attendance. After the reading of reports, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. W. Huntington; vice president, Mrs. W. H. White; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Hemingway; treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Marden, supervisor of the work; Mrs. L. J. Hastings. The mite boxes were opened, resulting in an addition to the treasury of $15, with a large number of the boxes yet to be heard from. Light refreshments were served.

FOGGY WEATHER

Three Schooners Were Driven Ashore

THE HELENA DASHED ON THE ROCKS.

The Life Savers Rescued the Several Crews.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., May 3.—As the result of foggy weather and a brisk northeasterly gale, three schooners are ashore on Cape Cod this morning. The large New Haven three-masted schooner Alice B. Phillips went ashore at 2 o'clock near Race Point. The schooner Robert Byron is on the beach at Crow Hill, just west of the Race Point life saving station. The schooners are well up on the beach. The crews were landed in safety.

The three-masted schooner Helena from a Maine port for the south with a cargo of fish scraps, struck on Peaked Hill bars during the night. The crew was saved. The Helena lies in a bad position, especially as the gale and sea were increasing early in the morning. The life savers of the Race Point and Peaked Hill bars stations went to the scene of the wrecks soon after the vessels struck.

POLICE COURT

THE GALLAGHER HOUSE LIQUOR CASE CONTINUED.

The liquor case of Robert C. Gallagher of the Gallagher house was called in court today. The defendant was represented by John W. McElroy, Esq., as counsel who asked for a continuance for one week which was granted. This is the case where lager beer and whiskey was found in the Gallagher house on Saturday evening last by Lieutenant Brosnan, Palmer, Sergeant Downey, Officers Atkinson and Holland.

Margaret Horne, drunkenness, was sentenced six months to the workhouse.

Joseph Bruce, drunkenness, was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed but afterwards withdrew his appeal.

Of the simple drunks, two were released by court and one was fined $1.

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The committee on education last evening voted unanimously to recommend $30,000 for a new High school at the corner of Paige and John streets. Alderman Taylor presided and the session was a brief one.

The only business was to take action upon the petition of the school board for increased accommodations for the High school.

After a brief discussion the vote was taken as above and the wish was expressed that a larger school building could be built but the conditions are not such as to allow it. Under the circumstances the plan proposed was considered the most feasible.

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DAVIS BRIBERY TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DOVER, Del., May 3.—The trial of Representative Mark L. Davis, charged with offering Francis H. Latomus, a fellow member, a bribe to vote for John Edwards Addicks for United States senator, began yesterday. Mr. Latomus testified as to a conversation between him and Davis during which the defendant agreed to lift a mortgage from the witness' farm in return for his vote by Mr. Addicks.

Davis denied the story told by Latomus.

Gilbert S. Jones, a reporter, said that Representative Latomus had declared that he had not been approached with offers of a bribe for his vote for senator.

The case was quickly argued and at 1.15 o'clock was given to the jury.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff, will sell at public auction at sheriff's sale, Friday, May 5, 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at store of Smith & Dunn, No. 350 Market street all the personal property contained in said store consisting of bar fixtures, beer pumps, cash register, glasses, etc. Terms cash.

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O'NEIL ARRESTED

Charged With Assault on a Milkman.

JOHN MAY WAS BADLY CUT

Before the Highwaymen Released Him.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Mass., May 2.—John O'Neil was arrested here today, charged with being concerned in an attack upon John May, a milkman, Saturday afternoon. May was set upon by four highwaymen in Abbott Village. He tried to defend himself with a revolver but his assailants forced him to give up the weapon. The sound of shots attracted attention and the highwaymen fled. His assailants obtained only a bottle of milk.

EBEN WOODBURY

WAS HELD FOR GRAND JURY IN NASHUA POLICE COURT.

The trial of Eben A. Woodbury, charged with breaking and entering and larceny, took place at the police station in Nashua Monday morning and was fully as interesting as had been anticipated. There was a large crowd present to see the man who has the name of being the shrewdest second story thief in America and he bore the gaze of the curious-minded spectators with perfect calmness. The hearing resulted in Woodbury being held for the superior court in $620 bail which was furnished.

J. H. Morrison, Esq., of this city who represented the defendant did not attempt to put in any evidence. At the close of the side for the state he stated that he believed there was probable cause for holding the respondent and that he would not trouble this court with any arguments or evidence but would let the case go to the superior court. He claims confidence to be able to clear his client. Mr. Morrison has appeared for Woodbury several times at least twice in New Hampshire and once or twice in Massachusetts and has succeeded in getting him cleared. The state is equally positive of being able to convict Woodbury when the case comes to trial before a jury, and claims that the case is one of the best ever sent up to the upper court.

McKINLEY IN WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—President McKinley and party returned to Washington, reaching the White House at 7.30 o'clock. There were in the party only the President, Mrs. McKinley, Assistant Secretary Cortelyou, and the members of the White House staff, who accompanied the President throughout the trip.

The President's first act after reaching the Executive Mansion was to call on Vice-President Hobart. The President found Mr. Hobart improved and gaining strength.

GEORGE F. BAIRD DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 2.—George F. Baird, a wealthy vessel owner and formerly Conservative member of Parliament for Queens county, is dead. He was manager of the West India steamship company, proprietor of the Star line and owner of several sailing vessels engaged in the coast trade between this port and Boston. He was 60 years old.

CLERGYMEN PROTEST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 2.—Manuel Iturbo has been appointed minister to Spain in place of Riva Palacios, deceased. Senor Iturbo is one of the richest men in this country. The young Americans in the city of Durango have announced that they will give a bull fight. This has excited earnest protests from the American missionary clergy here, who regret that their fellow countrymen should not be bombarded with attending bull fights, but now begin to fight bulls themselves.

TOD SLOAN WON,

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—Tod Sloan, riding Mr. Musker's chestnut colt Chevening, won the Mostyn two-year-old plate at Chester today. The betting was 11 against Chevening. Seven horses ran.

"Good Beginnings Make Good Endings."

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DEFENDER'S CREW

ARRIVED AT BRISTOL THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 2.—The crew of the old Defender arrived here this forenoon. The crew which came from New York, by way of the Fall River line, consists of 11 men, nearly all of whom are Scandinavians. They are in charge of Capt. Darius Rhodes and Mate Leonard Miller. The men had some trouble in getting quarters here. It is not known how long it will take to complete the work on the Defender. The boat will be given a coat of white paint, and there is considerable work to be done on the mast and spars.

COLORED TROOPS

ORDERED TO LEAVE FOR WARDNER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 2—The company of colored regulars stationed at Spokane army post, has received orders direct from General Merriam to leave on the morning train for Wardner, Idaho. Bartlett Sinclair, auditor of Idaho, in an interview at Wardner, said:

"The conditions here are far worse than I could possibly imagine. The prosecuting attorney and sheriff here have been shamefully remiss in their duties. I told them so today. They will probably be impeached. Existing conditions here must cease. The state authorities, aided by troops, will see to it."

CHAIRMAN JONES

DESIGNATES J. G. JOHNSON TO ACT FOR DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Before sailing for Europe today Senator J. K. Jones addressed the following letter to Mr. J. G. Johnson national committeeman from Kansas, designating him to act for the democratic national committee during his absence.

"Being compelled by the condition of my health to go abroad for some months and Mr. Walsh, secretary of the committee being absent in Alaska, I take the liberty of requesting that you shall act as secretary of the national committee until Mr. Walsh's return which I understand will be sometime next year; and to give such attention to the affairs of the national committe, to the organization of the party, etc., as in your judgment and discretion as may be required."

SEA LIONS KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 2.— A large number of the sea lions at the Point Reyes Rookeries have been killed since last Friday by subordinates of the state board of fish and game commissioners. It is hoped to so reduce the herds that they will no longer be a menace to the fishes of the coast.

FAMOUS ASBESTO SOLD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 2.—The famous asbesto at Sal Mountain in White county, has been sold for $200,000 to Bancroft and Kennick, mining engineers of London. The sale on the basis of $200,000 is the greatest amount ever paid for a mine in this state.

WANT PARK IMPROVED.

The residents of Lincoln Square think it is about time that the authorities should do something in the matter of improving the park in that locality near the watering trough. It is an "eye sore" not only to those who reside in that vicinity but to those who pass in the electrics.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH KELLEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CAMBRIDGE, May 2.—The funeral of the late Joseph J. Kelley took place this forenoon from the Sacred Heart church and was very largely attended. Among the organizations present were the Cambridge Council, Knights of Columbus, St. John's Court, M. C. O. F., the A. O. H., St. John's Literary Institute. The members of the Cambridge school board and other city officials including the mayor were present. The schools of ward three were closed out of respect to the memory of the deceased and the flags of the city were at half mast.

BICYCLE PATH OBSTRUCTIONS.

There is complaint made about mischievous boys putting obstructions on the bicycle path on Chelmsford street. Sticks, broken glass, and even tacks have been removed from the path by bike riders who will see that the law is strictly enforced against all such offenders.

OFFICE TO LET—In The Sun building. Inquire at Sun office.

VETERANS' ACT

Will be Tested in the Court.

G. A. R. BEHIND THE MOVEMENT.

City Officials Summoned Into Court.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EVERETT, Mass., May 2.—Deputy Sheriff Lyman has served papers on Mayor Hatch, City Solicitor Newton, City Treasurer Nicholus, Assessor Partridge and the members of the board of Aldermen, summoning them to appear in the supreme court in Boston next Tuesday and show cause why Henry W. Ayers, formerly an assessor of this city, should not be given a hearing under the veterans' preference law, Mr. Ayers having been removed by the mayor. It is proposed to make this a test case. Mr. Ayers is a veteran of the civil war.

At the last encampment of the department of Massachusetts G.A.R. resolution were adopted condemning Mayor Hatch's action and a committee was appointed to retain counsel and test the veterans' preference act. The steps already taken are the outcome of this action. Mr. Ayer's removal attracted attention and caused adverse comment from prominent Grand Army men all over the country.

GEN. OTIS

REPORTS THE DEATHS OF SOLDIERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—General Otis reports the following deaths:

From wounds in action—April 24, Otto Knstenberger, private, Co. H, First Nebraska; Charles Schwartz, private, Co. D, First Nebraska.

25th, L. C. Dean, private, Co. L, First South Dakota.

26th, Moritiez Jensen, corporal, Co. B, Utah artillery; Fritz Bunneller, private, Company B, Utah Artillery; Martin Legg, private, Co. L, First Nebraska; George Lichamer, private, Co. G, Second Oregon.

25th, Francis Hausson, corporal, Co. L, First Nebraska; Henry Morrison, private, Co. M, 20th Kansas; Clyde Z. Woods, private, Co. H, First Washington; George W. Hovey, corporal, Co. H, First Washington; Albert H. Terry, private, Co L, 20th Kansas, drowned accidently.

23d, Patrick Manning, private, Co. L, Seventeenth infantry; 24th, Frederick Lundkin, private, Co. D, First California; 25th, James Kennedy, private, Co. K, First Montana; 28th, M. Wilson, private Co. E, 12th infantry, typhoid fever; 25th, Maynard Sayres, private, Co. L, First Nebraska; 27th, Oliver Davis, private, Co. D, First South Dakota, 29th, Richard Carroll, private, Co. B, Third infantry, small pox; 28th, John Sheahan, private, Co. L, 17th infantry; 26th, Robert Carter, private, Co. F, Third infantry, dysentery; 17th, Herbert A. Hopkins, private, Co. F, First California; 24th, William Burgess, private, Co. E, First Idaho, ptomain poisoning; 15th, William Clarke, private, Co. E, Eighteenth infantry.

DREYFUS REVELATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, May 2.—In the Chamber of Deputies today a number of interpellations were introduced on the Dreyfus revelations. The Premier, M. Dupuy moved that they be adjourned until after the Court of Cassation shall have pronounced judgment on the matter. The motion was adopted.

THE SOMERS

ARRIVED IN NEW YORK TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The torpedo boat Somers, bought by the United States in Germany previous to the war with Spain, arrived here today on board the Atlantic Transport liner Manhattan. Three times before the outbreak of war the torpedo boat in efforts to cross the Atlantic nearly drowned the crews aboard, and again about three weeks ago, while being transferred from Falmouth to Plymouth, England, to be placed on the Manhattan, the Somers was almost swamped.

MRS STEVENSON

WRITES OF THE BOMBARDMENT OF SAMOAN VILLAGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—Robert Louis Stevenson's widow has written a letter to the Westminster Gazette from Funchal, Madeira, on the bombardment of Samoan villages by British and American warships. Mrs. Stevenson says:

"President McKinley allowed no firing on Cuban towns unless they gave active cause of offence and Commodore Watson was ordered not to attack undefended Spanish cities. Does the president keep his humanity for civilized countries alone?"

Mrs. Stevenson declares that the Samoan villages are inhabited in time of war by non-combatants who have to choose between the shells of the warships and "taking to the bushes." Under such conditions, she says delicate women can hardly exist while children die like flies.

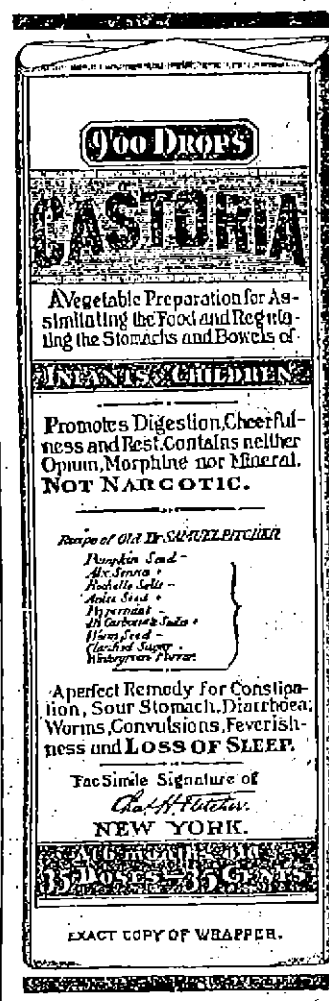
Mrs. Stevenson's letter concludes as follows:

"Chief Justice Chambers has been represented as saying in a letter to his brother, 'I never was happier.' He must be a person singularly devoid of imagination if he never pictured to himself the scenes being enacted in those bombarded villages; the exodus of panic-stricken people rushing hither and thither, shells bursting everywhere the cries of bed-ridden and helpless wounded people burning alive in their blazing houses, women in the pangs of child-birth, mangled children crawling on the sands, the sea before them and the bush behind them. And we read that the woods also were shelled. Who is to be held accountable for these deeds that disgrace both England and America?"

FIRST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, May 2.—To representatives of the Chicago diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church belongs the honor of planting the first church of that denomination in the Islands of the West Indies that recently have come under the control of the United States. The congregation will be organized at San Juan, Porto Rico with a membership of 35, under authority conferred by Bishop McLaren of Chicago.



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IN A BANK ROBBERY CASE.

The Men Turned Queen's Evidence.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NAPANEE, Ont., May 2.—George Pare and W. H. Holden, charged with the robbery of the Dominion bank and who gave Queen's evidence against Bank Teller Holden at the trial, escaped from the jail here during the night.

At Holden's trial the jury disagreed and both prisoners were held to repeat their evidence at the re-trial to be held here next week, after which their cases were to be dealt with. The police were quickly notified of their escape, but it is thought they had accomplices on the outside and that both are now in the United States.

The bank was entered on August 27, 1897, and $32,000 was stolen. Holden was arrested in Boston for complicity in the robbery and brought here for trial. Pare was arrested in Manchester, N. H.

"UNITED FRIENDS"

HAS BEEN DISSOLVED—SEVERAL LOWELL MEN INTERESTED.

The Imperial Order of United Friends, a fraternal insurance order, instituted under the laws of the state of New York, in 1891, mainly confined to the New England and middle states and having two councils in Lowell, has gone into insolvency.

Treasurer Frowert and dated Philadelphia, April 25, says:

"The Imperial Order of United Friends at a special meeting held April 8, decided to dissolve the order and apply for a receiver to take charge of the assets and settle the liabilities.

The large death rate, the inactivity of members and the unwillingness to pay extra assessments, he says, is responsible for the condition of affairs.

The Independent Order of Foresters, having over 150,000 members and a quarter million dollars, offers to take the United Friends membership into their order without cost for the transfer.

Among the Imperial and Grand officers Lowell and Lawrence has had many prominent citizens. Among the past grand councillors have been ex-Insurance Commissioner George S. Merrill of Lawrence, Rev. George N. Howard of Melrose Highlands, formerly of Lowell, Capt. Charles S. Proctor and Albert E. Moore of this city. Captain Proctor was representative to the Imperial Council. City Auditor David Chase was one of the grand trustees.

WHOLE TOWN TERRORIZED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 2.—A special from Wardner, Idaho, this morning says that the town is terrorized by rumors of a return of the masked plotters.

MOULDERSS' STRIKE

ABOUT 300 HANDS ARE NOW OUT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 2.—About 300 moulders are now out on strike at the orders of the Moulders' union. The questions at issue have been clearly defined. The claim of the union is for a recognition of the union card, minimum rate of wages and abolition of piece work. The employers say that it is not a question of wages, but merely whether they shall be allowed to manage their own business in the way they have been in the custom of doing.

Of the foundries in the city three are not affected at all by the strike, and are running full blast. In these foundries fully 100 men are at work.

The situation is very quiet, no trouble being anticipated. Some of the foundries where every moulder has gone out are running today with small heats, using apprentices and bosses to do the work. There is some talk of a proposition being submitted in the future.

TWO INJURED

IN A SHOOTING AFFRAY IN BUFFALO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 2.—Wm. H. Kennedy, a relative of James Kennedy, one of the grain contractors was shot in the right breast shortly after 1 o'clock and badly injured and James J. Hennessey was shot in the left breast. The shooting occurred at the foot of Main street, and is said to have been done by a man named Skinner, who with about 20 others is under arrest. The shooting grew indirectly out of the grain shovelers' strike.

SENATOR KYLE RESIGNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Senator Kyle of South Dakota has tendered his resignation as chairman of the industrial commission. This action was taken on account of the senator's ill health. He will continue, however, to serve as a member of the commission.

MISS SCUDDER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WORCESTER, Mass., May 2.—Miss Bessie L. Scudder of Boston, who was seriously injured Friday afternoon by falling from a Boston & Albany train at Rockdale, died at the city hospital early this morning. The body was taken in charge by a Worcester undertaker and will be sent to Boston today.

MR. DICKEY GREETED.

The employes of the Franklin House in Lawrence presented A. M. Dickey some floral pieces on his arrival from Lowell Monday morning.

THE STRIKE ENDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 2.—The strike of the journeymen horseshoers of Boston and vicinity is practically at an end, as there are only one or two master horse shoers now who have not agreed to the terms of the union.

BODY FOUND IN BROOK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HOLLISTON, Mass., May 2.—The body of E. Milo Warren was found in a brook near his home on the Hopkinton road, this morning. Mr. Warren had been in poor health for many years, and last night committed suicide. He was 78 years of age. He leaves three sons and four daughters.

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Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.49, 6.28, *6.45, w6.50, 7.04, *7.00, *7.28, 7.31, *7.43, w*8.15, *8.57, w9.19, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50 11.00, *11.42 a m; w12.05, 12.15, w12.45, 1.18, w2.00, w*2.00, 3.10, *3.47, w4.03, 4.28, w5.10, 5.22, w6.15, w*6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.49, w9.55 p m. SUNDAYS, 7.00, 7.55, w8.15, 8.48, 9.19, a m, w12.05, w1.05, 4.28, w5.30, 5.55, w7.05 p m.

For Lawrence, 5.29, w6.50 *7.03, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, *2.31, w3.10, w4 05, 4.18, *5.10, w6.15, w7.50, *9.25, w*11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, w8 15 p m, w8.05, w8.30, w7.25 p m.

For Salem, Mass, w5.29, 7.03 a m; w12.05, 1.28, w5.10, 5.53 p m.

For Haverhill, 5.03, 6.50, 7.23, 8.50, 9.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.53, 5.10, 6.05, 8.10, 8.15, 7.00, 9.55, 11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.30, 7.55 p m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.23 a m; 12.05, 2.53, 4.05, 6.10 p m.

For Exeter and Dover 6.23, 6.50, 7.03, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m.

For Somersworth, N H, Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 8.23, 8.50, 7.33, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p m.

For Bangor, Belfast Skowhegan and Rockland 8.30 a m; 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For St John's, N B, Halifax, N S, 5.10 p m (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Bear Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinued for the season.

For stations on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 8.30 a. m. 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.04, 7.53, *7.48, 11.03 a m; 1.43 4.26 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.43 a m; 1.05, 5.54 p m.

For Ayer Junction and Way-Stations—7.10 a m; 12.03, 5.01 and 5.26 p m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12s m; 1.00, 6.41, 5.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 5.40 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7 40 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 5.41, *5.40, 6.07, *8.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a m (to Nashua only), 5.08 a m; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, 8.40 p m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.12, *9 40 a m; *12 12, *1 40, (to Franklin only) 5 40, *8 10 p m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7 40, 5 40 p m.

For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9 40 a m, *1 40, *8 40 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9 40 a m; *12 12, *5 10 p m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Glencoal and Boston Air Line—*9 40 a m; *8 40 p m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrook—9 40 a. m., †8 40 p. m.

References: *Express; †Daily; w Via Western Division. ‡Wednesdays and Saturdays only. ς Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.

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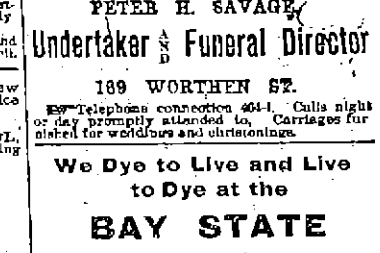
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REJOICING HEARD

Communications From Citizens on No-License.

THE POLICE BOARD GETS DUE CREDIT

And So Does the Sun for Its Noble Fight.

The rejoicing with which the no-license era has been ushered in is being voiced by prominent citizens in communications, a few of which are given below. Lack of space prevents the publication of several others. The first is from that old-time friend and worker for no-license, Mr. A. Nichols.

To the Editor of the Lowell Sun.
Sir:

After many years of hard work our efforts were crowned with success at the ballot box in December last in carrying this city for no-license and on May 1st, this law went into force with very much better prospects of success than the no-license year of 1880. I think great praise is due to the commissioners for granting no druggists licenses and they should have the thanks of the citizens of Lowell for the step taken. But no law upon our statute book will enforce itself and all lovers of good order should do their part in seeing that they are sustained in their efforts to enforce the same. We must expect that this year is going to bring an end forever to this nefarious traffic. The rum powers will die hard and this year a great struggle for license for 1900 will be made. So at the commencement let us prepare for the battle and keep up the fight for God and home and native land.

I think great credit is due to the Lowell Sun in the noble stand it took in this matter, while the other papers of the city stood out for license. The Sun used its columns freely in the "No" cause and deserves the thanks of the citizens generally for its magnificent campaign against the rumocracy and for its efforts to uplift those who for years have been the slaves and the victims of rum.

We are told that there was but the usual number of arrests on Saturday night, but this is no criterion of the drunks in our own city for if all had been arrested who were found in a state of intoxication on that night it would have required a good many police stations to hold them.

No doubt a good many clerks will be short of a job in this line for this year, but they are not all that is out of employment in this city. The rumsellers could find them work by sending them into the homes of their customers to gather up the rags their traffic made during the year past. So if they had to keep their own number there would not be so many in the trade. And if any one refused then surely they ought to be made. Let us be up and doing during the year. Truth is mighty and will prevail. So that for many years to come no rum shops will be open to entice the young men in our city into its danger and may God defend the right.

Yours Respectfully,
A. NICHOLLS.

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE LIQUOR DEALERS.

The voice of the people must prevail. At their bidding social disorders and social dangers must cease. When they intelligently exercise the right of suffrage, the right of freedom, all corruption and rot in whatever branch it exists must disappear and make way for a more wholesome one, moral order.

Saturday night witnessed the closing of the barrooms, the happy suppression of the great liquor traffic in our municipality for at least one year. Would that it were more! Today if we take a stroll through the various streets we find that all the haunts are barricaded; and the only memento left to us is the smell that still seems to linger. The saloon keepers are demoralized; those men who have lived luxuriously on blood money and drank the milk which was to nourish the suckling babe, are now sore at heart.

They seem to think that the world is against them. They imagine that they are tasting sorrow to its very depth. But alas! The hearts of the conscientious voters who caused their downfall, of the widow and the orphan beat with joy and exultation, and why not? They scored a social triumph they have found a panacea, a positive cure for this chronic social disease.

The liquor men are already foreboding a period of hard times, of business depression and paralyzed labor. But for whom? Inevitably for no one but themselves. They have been forced into the stream and must either sink or swim. Intelligent and honest people divine an era fraught with happiness and prosperity; for such a revolution as this can bring naught but the most beneficial results. The frown of poverty will be relieved by the smile of plenty. The people will have more money and consequently more of the comforts and luxuries of life. Their hard-earned cash instead of filling the coffers of the rum sellers will be registered to their bank account or at least more judiciously expended. The grocers, butchers, milkmen and others who have long been victimized for the benefit of the gin mill will enjoy a more lucrative business and find a more constant return for every outlay. In short a general boom in business will ensue for money, instead of being concentrated in the hands of a few wholesale dealers who practically control many of the saloons will find a more general circulation. This signifies a great deal when we consider that at least $700,000 is expended annually in the purchase of liquor in the city of Lowell.

Some sympathizers intrenching themselves with arguments based on the bitter experience of a former no-license year, are predicting a period in which low dens, speak-easies, houses of assignation, etc., will flourish and immorality and licentiousness run wantonly; but they will be doomed to disappointment. The mayor will strain every effort and is determined that the will of the people must be enforced. Backed by the police department in which every officer has practically become an excise officer, the miasma will be checked and the atmosphere become purer and healthier. Saturday night the joyous peal of the 11 o'clock bells, sounding the death knell of rumocracy had scarcely died away when one rendezvous was raided. This but reflects in a small measure the strong determination of the police to crush the evil ere it gathers growth. One question looms up strikingly before us: What are the plans of the liquor men for the future. Beyond the peradventure of a doubt, the wholesalers who have been bleeding the people for years will recline supinely on their bucks, awaiting the dawn of a brighter era; their families can still live in supreme comfort and preserve their highly independent air. Others may launch forth into new enterprises, or return to their former field of labor; but for the sake of the community and for their own self-respect let us not behold an army of idlers and loafers, a despicable thing in any municipality. Idle saloon keepers and bartenders would be targets at which everybody would shoot; they would be the victims of critic, carp and cynic sneer. They would be the butt for everybody's joke and laughter. Let them go to work; put their shoulder to the wheel, and earn their bread like honest men.

J. F. M., Worthen St.

FLORA E. STACEY LODGE INSTALLED OFFICERS LAST EVENING.

Flora E. Stacey lodge, I.O.G.T., met at Post 120 hall last night and D. G. C. T. Robert Mountford installed the following officers: C. H. McCullough, chief templar; Maggie McPhee, vice chief templar; John Hamilton, financial secretary; Mr. Marshall, treasurer; Mabel Hunton, recording secretary; John Morrison, marshal; Ida Hill, guard; May Hunton, chaplain. A committee was appointed to look for new quarters and to report at the next regular meeting. The regular good of the order was enjoyed after the meeting.

BOXING GOSSIP.

George E. Gardner of this city and John E. Butler of Lynn will box 15 rounds Tuesday evening next before the Nutone Athletic club of this city. They will meet at 145 pounds. There will be two preliminary bouts, one of ten rounds between two Manchester boxers and the other between Billy Gardner and Prof. Gagnon, both of this city.

There is talk of a match being made between Billy Gardiner of this city and George Munroe, who fought two draws with "Teddy" McGovern the Brooklyn wonder.

MUSIC HALL.

The Ottowa Free Press, speaking of the performance given by Prof. Carpenter, the king of hypnotists, says one of the subjects under the spell of hypnotism was impressed with the idea that he had killed one of the subjects by electrocution and he went like a child the tears trickling down his cheeks. He left the hall in search of a doctor and returned with Officer Graham, who was positive he had a murder case when the young man approached him with face bathed in tears and accompanied him to the hall where the audience yelled till it was deafening. The scene was realistic and it was impossible to be acted by any human being. Professor Carpenter will be at Music hall for one week commencing May 8.

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BROKE THE SPELL

Boston Won a Game From Baltimore

NICHOLS WAS IN THE BOX.

Result of the Other League Games.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BATIMORE, May 2.—The champion Bostons played up-to-date ball here this afternoon and broke the hoodoo spell that has hung over them for several days.

Charley Nichols was at his best and when forced sped the missile over the rubber like the rush of trolley lightning after the last night car. Bill Clarke caught in good form and was in the run-making with a full cargo of good luck. Three of the nine runs were scored by "Whoa, Bill," and yet every time around he gave one or more openings for a put out. He bore a charmed existence around the bases, to the delight of the Baltimore fans, who still have a tender spot for their old catcher.

But for a miscalculation by Lowe in the first inning, the orioles would have gone to the clubhouse shut out. Bobby ran for second as Sheckard hit to right field, when Long should have covered the base. After this the fielding of the Boston men was faultless and the hitting of the all-round variety; bunting, hit and run, and crack-her-out were mixed up in a way to mystify Miller, a young pitcher who had fine speed and did good work, with the exception of a poor throw. The fault of O'Brien to cover second and his wild throw to first gave Boston five of her nine runs and turned a pretty game into a one-sided affair.

The score by innings is as follows:

Innings ..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Boston	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	4—9
Baltimore ..	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2

Stolen bases—Sheckard, 2; Clarke. Two-base hits, O'Brien, Lachance. Sacrifice hit, Nichols. Double plays, Long, Lowe and Tenney; Sheckard and Lachance; Holmes and Lachance; Collins and Long. First on balls, off Miller, 3; off Nichols, 1. Hit by pitcher, Mayoon. Struck out, by Nichols 3. Left on bases, Baltimore, 6, Boston, 3. Earned runs, Baltimore 2; Boston, 3. Umpires, Hunt and Connelly. Time, 1h. 45m. Attendance, 2370.

Pittsburg, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Louisville, 3; Cleveland, 2.
Cleveland, 9; Louisville, 5.
Brooklyn, 7; Washington, 0.
New York, 4; Philadelphia, 3.

EDWARD ATKINSON

Charged With Sending Circulars to Troops

CRITICISING THE PHILIPPINE POLICY.

Matter Discussed by the Cabinet.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The absentees from yesterday's cabinet meeting were secretaries Gage, Long, Alger and Wilson. One of the subjects of discussion was the circulars which were mailed to the troops at Manila, criticising the Philippine policy of the government and advising volunteers whose term of service is about to expire not to re-enlist. A member of the cabinet, in speaking of the matter, said that Edward Atkinson of Boston who is local of these circulars was unquestionably in the preparation and sending out of these circulars, was unquestionably guilty of assisting an insurrection against the authority of the United States, and was subject to a term of imprisonment or a heavy fine or both. The law, which, it is said, has been violated, is Section 5334 of the Revised Statutes, which is as follows:

"Every person who incites, sets on foot, assists or engages in any rebellion or insurrection against the authority of the United States, or the laws thereof, or gives aid or comfort thereto, shall be punished by imprisonment not more than 10 years, or by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or by both of such punishments; and shall moreover, be incapable of holding any office under the United States."

What action, if any shall be taken in the matter, has not been determined, but it is said that the government is disposed to regard the acts of Mr. Atkinson as those of a person without any proper conception of the gravity of the offence committed and the government may not at this time take action against Mr. Atkinson and his assistants.

The postmaster general stated at the cabinet meeting that he had ordered the circulars stopped at San Francisco.

Members of the administration regard Mr. Atkinson's alleged action as seditious and disgraceful and it is not improbable that if repeated, prompt and energetic action will be taken.

Parts of the report of the army beef commission was read at the meeting and matters relating to the Alaskan boundary question, was submitted.

The High school base ball team will leave for Haverhill this afternoon (the weather permitting) to play the Haverhill High. The local school team was the only team to defeat Haverhill High last season. The players for the Lowell High today will be as follows: Bruce, c; Cronin, p; Murphy, 1b; Bagley, 2b; Scannell, 3b; Drury, ss; Morrison, lf; Kearns cf; and Kinsella, rf.

PAVING THE WAY.

How Every Democrat May Assist the 1900 Campaign Fund.

To insure Democratic victory next year it is necessary to help the cause with money. The Democratic party is nearest the hearts of the common people, pledged to and espousing their interests through good and evil report, always in the van of thought and action. Novel and pleasant is the latest plan adopted by the ways and means committee of the Democratic national committee to raise money for the antiplutocratic fight of 1900.

An ardent bimetallic firm of cigar manufacturers of Chicago, who have been in business for many years, made an offer a few days ago to divide the profits of their goods with the committee's treasury. Knowing the high character of the gentlemen comprising the firm and the established reputation of the goods they have put forth for many years, the committee accepted the offer, and the terms of the contract were stipulated with definiteness. Under the agreement two brands of cigars, to be known as the "Ways and Means" and the "Defense Fund," are being manufactured and will be put on the market at once. The former is a good 10 cent cigar and the "Defense Fund" a 5 cent cigar, both well made by union labor and guaranteed to run of even quality; so that any cigar is likely to be a fair sample of them all.

In this way the friends of the great cause can, without sacrifice of a fraction of a cent of good money's worth, aid the cause, for the manufacturers have made an out and out donation of 1 cent on each dime cigar sold and one-third of a cent on each nickel cigar disposed of. That this money actually goes into the treasury of the ways and means committee there is absolute guarantee, for the labels are countersigned in the office of the committee by two of its members, and the royalty is paid when the labels are delivered. All correspondence regarding these cigars should be mailed by dealers to C. H. Schaeffer & Co., Chicago, in whose name the labels are issued and by whom the royalties are paid. Already there is a great rush of orders at the office of the firm, and they will be promptly filled.

The real power in the Republican party cares nothing for the fundamental principles of our civilization. The men who really dominate that organization have no conception of the real purposes of all government, but look upon it merely as an instrument for the advancement of their industrial interests. The president is too much of a politician and too willing a tool in the hands of this influence to take a bold stand for the people, for the preservation of liberty at home and its extension abroad.

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The streets have all been accepted by the city, have water, gas and sewerage in the new houses. The houses I built myself by day work, under the supervision of Francis T. Wilson, one of the most thorough and honest builders in Lowell. They have every modern convenience, including open plumbing, bath room, pantry, laundry, store room, cemented cellar, furnace, etc.; also eight exceedingly pleasant living rooms and large attic, are neat in architecture, attractive in finish, and the interior arrangement is of the most desirable character in its modern conception. There isn't in this splendid and healthy residential portion of Lowell a better plot of land—surroundings, outlook and lay of land considered—than my estate. The lots average 5690 square feet of land each, with a frontage of 50 feet. I can conscientiously say to you that there are no handsomer lots in old Ward Four. Edge stones and sidewalks already in before the houses.

Think of it, accepted streets, water, gas and sewerage already in; electric cars are within four minutes' walk through either Forest or Midland streets to Chelmsford street, and the contemplated "Belt Line" by the street railway company goes through Stevens street and past the premises.

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Monday was a Dewey day in Lowell and yet some people thought it mighty dry as it ushered in the no-license year.

Lieut. Gilmore is reported safe, although held with ten others as prisoners by the Filipinos. May he be safely restored to his place under Dewey.

The Boston Herald is trotting out democratic candidates for governor in much the same style as an auctioneer would put a horse on exhibition.

The horse shoers are on strike for higher wages in Boston. Is there no charm for them in the old horse shoe that is said to bring such good luck to others?

There is talk of annexing Cuba. We supposed that the pledges of the United States that the Cubans would eventually be allowed to work out their own destiny, meant something.

Our former artist, Wilbur L. Dunkley, during the recent horse show at Boston, demonstrated once more that there is no other man in the country who can sketch horses so true to nature. His horse pictures in the Herald have become famous among horsemen.

SENATOR HOAR ON TRUSTS.

Senator Hoar, before departing for Europe, received the homage of the Bay State club at a banquet and in his after-dinner speech took occasion to refer to the howl of horror that went up at the recent lynching in Georgia and stated that while the mob had no right to lynch an individual, it is equally true that no nation has a right to lynch a whole people which, is still more terrible. This much he said in reiteration of his position in opposition to the imperial policy, but it was but a prelude to his discourse, which was in opposition to the trusts and companies which are organized for the purpose of eliminating competition. His speech is among the first made by any republican against the oppressive combines which have resulted directly from the republican policy of high protection and centralization. On this question as well as upon the imperial policy, Senator Hoar is right in line with the leaders of the democratic party.

In discussing the trusts, Senator Hoar made clear the powers of the several states in restraining corporations so far as their business is local in each state and then he showed wherein the trusts came under the control of congress where the authority of the states cannot reach them. This latter power, he thought, could be exercised without danger to the rights of the people or of the individuals concerned.

Among his most important utterances were the following:

"Time and space have become annihilated. The manufacturer in Lowell has for his competitor and his business neighbor the manufacturer in Georgia or in California or Indiana. Now, in any business of this kind—this business between two of the states or with foreign countries—the state is powerless.

"If it were not powerless you have the difficulty of 45 different state legislatures which must deal in concert in order to make your legislation effective. If you deny the Massachusetts charter to the corporation, the corporators go to New Jersey and get what they want without any difficulty; and in so far as this business, as I have said, is interstate or international business, the states have no restraining power, under the constitution, and the matter must be dealt with by congress.

"So you have for the same business two separate legislative powers—the national, so far as the manner of the corporation in dealing with interstate commerce is concerned and the state legislative power so far as relates to the business locally and at home.

"Now, while congress cannot make any provision constitutionally that shall control in the least the business of any manufacturer, whether alone or in combination with others, so far as it is carried on within the boundaries of his own state, congress may, in my judgment, impose such conditions as it shall see fit upon the carrying on of business by such combinations in interstate and international commerce, and one of those conditions may be that no business, with such exceptions as may seem reasonable like that of railroad transportation companies, the banks and some other companies of that kind—that no business shall be carried on between the different states or between the nation and foreign countries where the men who carry it on have the facility and privilege, the corporate powers, without individual liability, except in compliance with and in conformity with such conditions as the national legislative power shall prescribe."

While Senator Hoar is not a politician of the stripe whose chief aim is to construct a platform that will catch votes and having served his end, is thrown aside and forgotten, yet we venture to say that the platform of the republican party in the next presidential campaign will have an anti-trust plank framed on the lines laid down in Senator Hoar's address. The time has come when the trusts must be throttled by the people, or else they will go on robbing and defying the people as they are doing at the present time.

There is something consoling to parents in the thought that their son died fighting for his country. There is not a mother we know who lost a son in the war who has not been consoled by the thought that his life was given in a noble cause—with perhaps one exception wherein the mother claimed her boy was murdered by bad beef, lack of proper food and of medical attendance. The mothers who gave martyrs to the cause of humanity remind us of the Spartan mothers who preferred that their sons should return upon their shields, dead, than to lose them in battle.

All Belvidere regrets the removal of Officer Lane from the beat which he has so long patrolled. Mr. Lane had become so well acquainted with his beat that if an ill deed was done by anybody in the vicinity he could soon locate the culprit. He knew young and old. He paid particular attention to the condition of the streets on his beat and when he found dangerous places he reported them to the street department. This may not have been obligatory upon him, but it may have saved the city a number of lawsuits.

The shift in the police assignments will extend the acquaintanceship of the officers. It is possible that some of them may have been too well acquainted to be strict, but the new deal will overcome that.

It is a long time since there were so few drunks in court on a Monday as appeared there last Monday. The golden fruits of no-license are beginning to appear. Keep up the good work.

It looks as if Supt. Davis meant to enforce the no-license law. Let him get the credit of good intentions until he is found delinquent.

The hot weather is at hand, bearing danger to the babies. Keep them cool and give them nothing that will sicken them.

Let no decent young man have it said that he had to go to Lawrence for booze. Let him try the good effects of total abstinence.

Well, the dust got thoroughly laid Monday night. The watering carts can take a day off.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Springfield Republican—The "treason" scare had a short run. All the prisons and jails in the United States wouldn't hold the "traitors."

Manchester Union—It is with unspeakable sadness that the republican leaders witness the donation for public libraries, of the Carnegie wealth, which, in former years was reserved for their corruption fund.

Charlestown News and Courier—The imperialists are playing for high stakes and rather than forego the realization of the visions of wealth and power that tempted them to the acquisition of the Philippines, there is no telling what crime they dare commit.

Philadelphia Record—The governor of California will not make out a commission for the United States senator whom he has appointed from that state in default of legislative choice until he shall have found out what the senate will do with the Quay case. He is more prudent than our governor. He shall not make a fool of himself unless he shall have senatorial warranty for so doing.

Washington Post—The negroes cannot afford to make common cause with such monsters as Hose. They must consider him solely as a criminal. And the whites must declare themselves equally against the savages who put Hose to death with such fiendish cruelties. One race will harm itself by regarding the dead man as a martyr. The other will disgrace itself by applauding the lynchers as instruments of justice. Both Hose and his murderers must be considered as social pests—as enemies of humanity and civilization.

Boston Advertiser—The effects of the heavy expenses of the war with Spain, and the passage of the "war revenue" law have lately been apparent in an increase of American prices, accompanied by a sudden and striking decrease in American exports and an increase in American imports. The "cost of conquest," has begun to tell a little on the United States, and to put a check to the tremendous capture of foreign markets by American goods. If the American policy makes it necessary to keep up these heavy taxes upon American industries, perhaps the British manufacturer may regain his lost markets. For that very reason, the growing American opposition to imperialism has caused a new alarm in England.

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CRISP GOSSIP.

Trout fishermen now hold sway.

Soon the small boy will go a-swimming.

Trees are rapidly putting out their leaves.

This is the kind of weather thin people like.

Duck and crash outfits will soon be in order.

May parties are to be quite numerous this year.

Screens and screen doors are being brought out.

Reformed saloons can now be had at a material reduction in rent.

Split is the popular drink in Waltham under a no-license regime.

Girls are sharpening up their ice cream melters for the summer season.

Wanted—A good singer for a ball nine, one who can play base preferred.

Laconia had an earthquake at 12.21 Sunday noon. It was not felt here.

Is it not time an example were made of that modern pest and bully—the scorcher?

One of the Taunton club's pitchers is named Drinkwater and it is to be hoped that the others will follow his example.

During the month of April, 46 cars were run through the Boston & Maine paint shop at Concord, the largest number in any month since work was inaugurated.

A new firm of Harry and Fay begin in the vaudeville next Monday. They are Charles, a son of the original William Barry and Effie Fay, a daughter of the late Hugh Fay.

Word on the road car at the Boston & Maine shops is being pushed to the limit. The car is of massive construction and when weighted for service it will, it is estimated, tip the scales at 30,000 pounds.

The North church, Concord, N. H., has voted with great unanimity to introduce the individual communion cups in their service. The choice as to the particular kind and style is left with the standing committee.

Many of Lowell's young men who are indulging in the new spring coats find that the brevity of the garments does not allow the under coattails to conceal themselves. As a result several have avoided the uncertainty of pins by having hooks and eyes fastened to the linings of their cutaways. When the spring coat is donned, the coat tails are hooked up and when the coat is removed, they are released, providing the wearer does not forget his scheme. That it is forgotten at times was made evident when an otherwise immaculately dressed young man swung gracefully up the aisle of one of the churches Sunday, amidst the smiles of the elders and the titters of the youths.

Massachusetts means to take advantage of experience gained during the war and in consequence the soldiers will learn to do their own cooking at future state camps. The idea is a good one for no soldier can know too much about taking care of himself in the field where chefs and nurses are not ready for a messenger call at any and all times.

A good many Lowellians will be in attendance at anniversary day exercises at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H., June 1. A number of Lowell young men have graduated from this seat of learning.

The trainmen of the Boston & Maine railroad have been informed by an order that they cannot carry packages on the train without paying express rates.

Some folks say it don't cost as much to keep a bicycle as it does a horse. But it costs $5 a month for some folks to keep a bicycle that is, if they want to keep it.

Women who take a spin on the bicycle are the kind who fight shy of the broom or the after-dinner dishes.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

At a meeting of the Mathews last night three candidates were initiated and six applications were accepted. It was voted to hold a picnic this summer and a committee was appointed to arrange and report later. It was also voted to tender a complimentary dance to the young lady friends of the society Wednesday evening, May 10th.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, had four initiations at its meeting last night.

The Burkes held the regular meeting last evening. Six candidates were initiated and four applications were accepted.

A committee from Spindle City circle Companions of the Forest, met last night and completed all arrangements for the May party which is to be held at Associate hall, May 12.

A delegation of local Foresters will go to Lawrence Friday evening to attend a May party to be held by Fanny Parnell circle, Companions of the Forest, of that city. The Lowell delegation will leave on a special car, which will leave the square at 7.30.

Lowell commandery, Knights of Malta, met last evening and conferred the scarlet degree on five candidates, besides accepting several applications for membership.

J. P. Maxfield circle, Ladies of the G.A.R. met in Post 185 hall last night Memorial day orders were received from the department president but no definite action was taken. It was June 6. The circle will attend services voted to hold a strawberry festival at the Paige street F. B. church, May 26 at 10.30 a. m.

Highland Union Rebekah lodge gave a complimentary banquet Monday night to Enterprise lodge of Reading. About 70 visitors were present, besides the officer of local lodges. Before the supper a meeting of the lodges was held to welcome the guests and afterwards selections by the Lancey quartette of Troubadours were followed by dancing. The Ladies' Lyceum orchestra furnished the music.

A new lodge of Good Templars will be instituted at Wigginville, Tuesday evening next, May 9, by District Chief Templar A. D. Oxley of Wakefield. It expected to start out with about 40 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Wheeler of Chatre street are entertaining a young son.

MOCK TRIAL.

A mock trial for an umbrella was the attraction at the First Trinitarian Congregational church last evening. There was a large attendance and during the progress of the trial, some ludicrous and amusing situations were presented.

E. Lincoln Nowell will dance at Butler's annual May festival in Music Hall, Boston, May 6.

MOLINEUX CASE

MORE EVIDENCE IS BEING PREPARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Assistant District Attorney Blumenthal who is preparing the Molineux case for the grand jury had eleven witnesses at his office yesterday, including Harry Cornish, W. J. Kinsley, the handwriting expert and Harry C. King.

It was learned that a new letter had been found and sent to the district attorney and that, according to the claims, it shed new light on the case. The letter was written on the same tri-crescent blue paper at the "Barnet" and "Cornish" letters. The newest letter reads:

"Dear Sir—Inclosed please find 25 cents for which please send sample of remedy.

Yours respectfully,
—Roland Molineux, 0 Jersey St.

Expert Kinsley, who has seen this letter, has pronounced the handwriting to be Molineux's.

IN ARLINGTON

BODIES OF 252 SOLDIERS WERE INTERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The bodies of 252 soldier dead brought from battlefields of Cuba and Porto Rico by steamer Crook were interred at Arlington cemetery today with military honors. The ceremony was identical with that held on the occasion of the interment of the bodies brought by the Crook on her first trip about a month ago but neither the president nor the members of his cabinet were present today. Acting Secretary of War Meiklejohn as the representative of the war department and Major General Miles and his staff in full uniform were present. Col. Guenther of the Fourth artillery with two companies of the 4th and 5th artillery from the Washington barracks and the Fourth artillery band had charge of the funeral. The religious services were conducted by Chaplain Freeland of Fortress Monroe and Father Magee of this city.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

ENJOYABLE CANTATA PRESENTED BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The ladies of the Congregational church in North Chelmsford entertained a gathering in the town hall last night when "Jack and the Bean Stalk" was repeated. In the cast were: Rupert B. Ripley, Ethel C. Ranger, Frank W. S. Daly, Esther A. Bearce, Arvilla H. Piggott, Robert B. Scribner, Anna C. Mackay, Marion E. Scribner, Katherine L. Sheldon, Stella C. Howard, Mary J. Browne, Ethel R. Wotton, Florence A. Bearce, Earl J. Wotton, Earl S. Lewis, Stewart Mackay, John C. Varney, Ada Crockett, F. Ethel Warley, Gladys E. Swain, Amelia B. Marinel, Florence Queen, Pearl A. Stevens, Blanche M. Wright, Minnie M. Crockett.

Chicken chorus—Bertha H. Piggott, Bessie E. Scribner, Ruth M. Scribner, Hazel L. Butterfield, Nellie L. Butterfield, Ethel M. Reed, Annie M. Ranger, Lillie H. Marinel, Ruth G. Wotton.

Baked Bean chorus—Stuart Mackay, Luther Hall, Earl S. Lewis, John C. Varney, Earl J. Wotton, George W. Ranger, Edward J. Sheldon, Paul A. Scribner, Harold J. Hackett, James A. Morning, Charles De Lahaye, Elias P. De Lahaye.

Quartette selections were sung by Mrs. Hubert Bearce, Miss Daisy Ripley, Mrs. C. F. Scribner and Mrs. Arthur F. Salmon. Encores were responded to. Little Miss Ranger sang a pleasing number and the Misses Marinel danced the sailors' hornpipe. There were other pleasing specialties and the people in the audience got their money's worth.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the First Presbyterian church last evening, the closing night of the fair and sale under the auspices of the church was very largely attended, but those present enjoyed the occasion with games and social converse.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS



The fort of the body is the stomach. Disease can only enter through this gate.

Weakness Here Leads to Weakness All Over the Body.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will strengthen the stomach and thus cure indigestion, constipation, biliousness, malaria, and all kidney and liver troubles.

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere. 50 cents per box—six for $2.50.

DR. WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Schenectady, N. Y.

A STITCH IN THE BACK



It's hard for a man to do his work well if he has a bad back—hard for him to work at all—But the work must be done,—bread must be earned, and so thousands of workers plod along, accepting the backache as a matter of course, and only realizing the seriousness of it when it gets so bad that they can't drag themselves about any longer. Yet it's all unnecessary—you know what backache is—Kidney ache, that's all—Just simply the natural result of the failure of the kidneys to do their duty—and the way to get rid of it is to set the kidneys right. Help the kidneys to do their duty and there'll be no more trouble with bad backs—

Doan's Kidney Pills

have been making weak kidneys strong for years. Doing it right here in Lowell. People you know say so. Read the following from a Lowell citizen:

Mr. C. S. Emerson of 512 Westford street endorses Doan's Kidney Pills as follows: He says: "I have been engaged in the grocery trade of Lowell for twenty years, and during the time I have done a lot of driving. This, if not the immediate cause of my trouble, certainly aggravated it. There was a very tender spot over the left kidney and frequent desire to urinate, dizziness, headache and constant backache. I read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing among sufferers in Lowell and resolved to try a box. I got it from Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and I was surprised with the immediate relief. I felt better after only a few doses, and continuing them I am today perfectly free of all the aches and pains and the credit is due to Doan's Kidney Pills. You can use my name as much as you like. I have quite an extended acquaintance through driving through the city for twenty-six years and I will vouch for what they have done for me."

Doan's Kidney Pills Sold by all Druggists. 50c. per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

LAWTON FIGHTING

Battle Started Early This Morning.

Aguinaldo's Envoys Make Another Attempt to Secure Peace—They Say Aguinaldo Has Not Made a Fair Test of His Strength.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 2.—6.05 p. m.—Major Manuel Arguelles and Lieut. Jose Bernal, of the staff of General Antonio Luna, returned here today to renew and press the request of General Luna for a cessation of hostilities. They have found the field of labor a most uncongenial one. The two officers were received in conference by Major General E. S. Otis. The proposals which they had to submit differed but slightly from those which they brought from the Filipino commander in the first place. They desired a little time in which to summon congress and expressed themselves as being confident that the congress will decree peace because the people desire it. They represent that Aguinaldo is without power to surrender the army and that the congress must decide that question. Incidentally, the Filipino envoys asserted that Aguinaldo had not yet made a fair test of his strength against the American forces because only one-third of his army had been assembled together.

The envoys presented a letter from Senor Mabini, president and minister of foreign affairs in the cabinet of Aguinaldo and who is the backbone of the Filipino organization. The communication is personal and unofficial and seconds Major Arguelles arguments.

The envoys will see General Otis again tomorrow. They will sleep tonight at Manila. They lunched with General MacArthur at his headquarters on a car of the armored train at Calumpit before coming to Manila.

Whether or not General Luna is sincere in his overtures, the negotiations are giving the insurgents a much needed opportunity to rehabilitate their demoralized forces. The truth is that dissension among the leaders of the rebels is helping on the disorganization of the Filipino army almost as fast as the American campaign.

In the course of the conference with Filipino envoys, General Otis agreed with the statement of Major Arguelles that the people of the Philippine Islands wanted peace and he added that requests for protection are pouring in upon him from all parts of the country.

Major General Lawton was engaged in hard fighting early this morning. Telegraph communication was cut at 9 o'clock, a. m. and there have been no reports from General Lawton since that time.

NEWS FROM GILMORE

The Crew of the Yorktown Heard From.

Member of Gen. Luna's Staff Bring's a List of the Missing Men to Gen. MacArthur.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 2. (2.55 p. m.)—The first authentic information regarding Lieut. J. C. Gilmore and his party of 14 men from the United States gunboat Yorktown, who were captured by the Filipinos on April 12, was received today at the hands of Major Arguelles, of the staff of General Antonio Luna. It is in the form of a list of the missing men and is signed by Lieut. Gilmore. The lieutenant reports that he and his party have been brought across two mountains from Balera where they were captured. This information was brought in response to a note which Major General McArthur sent to General Luna by Major Shiels and Lieut. Hayne and which those officers, bearing a flag of truce, carried across General Luna's lines on yesterday evening. The note, after asking for information regarding American prisoners in General Luna's hands, concluded with the message that he (General McArthur) would be pleased to meet General Luna. Major Shields and Lieut. Hayne found a span of the railroad bridge a mile from St. Tomas, broken.

ATKINSON'S BOOK

Cannot be Mailed to the Philippines.

IT MIGHT EXCITE MUTINY

Among the Soldiers in the Philippines.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The postmaster general has directed the postmaster at San Francisco to take out of the mails for Manila three pamphlets issued by Edward Atkinson of Boston, vice president of the anti-imperialistic league. This order does not apply to the circulation of the pamphlets by mail in this country but debars their dispatch from this country to the Philippines, discontent and even mutiny among the soldiers being stated by the department to be the design of these publications. The three pamphlets are specifically described and in no circumstance are they to be forwarded by mail to the Philippines.

BIG MEETING

OF THE CIGAR LEAF TOBACCO TRADE WILL CONVENE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.—As an indirect outcome of the arrest of William H. Jacobs and his co-conspirators in the revenue stamp counterfeiting case, the most important national meeting in the history of the cigar leaf tobacco trade will convene in this city May 22. Representatives will be present from all the principal cigar leaf centres of the country. One of the results will be the formation of a national organization. It is proposed to form an organization to enable the government to protect itself and the dealers from such frauds as the Lancaster counterfeiting gang. The government was a great sufferer by Jacob's swindling, but the cigar leaf dealers lost a great deal more. Jacob's cutting of prices upset the whole cigar business, even back to the dealer in leaf tobacco.

A suggested remedy is the keeping of a record of all sales of tobacco from the time it is grown until it is made into cigars.

WAR DEPARTMENT

ARRANGING TO SEND TROOPS TO OTIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Arrangements are being made at the war department to expedite the transportation of reinforcements to General Otis as soon as possible but owing to the unforeseen obstacles it has been found necessary to postpone the departure of the transport Sherman which will be ready to re-sail for Manila on the 22d instant. The Sixth Infantry, which was to have started from San Francisco on the fifth instant, will not be able to get away until the Sherman is ready to sail. That regiment as well as the 16th Infantry, is in the vicinity of San Francisco and will start across the Pacific as soon as transports are available. General Corbin said today that no change had been made in the plans of the department regarding the sending of re-inforcements to the Philippines to take the place of volunteer troops who are to be brought home.

BICYCLE CLUB

OF THE AYER EMPLOYES WAS FORMED YESTERDAY.

The employes of the J. C. Ayer company who are interested in bicycling held a very enthusiastic meeting at the close of business yesterday and organized a bicycle club. Mr. Frank G. Rose, although not an employe of the company called the meeting to order by request and stated the objects for which it was desired to form an organization, chiefly for the purpose of enjoying runs together, on evenings, Saturday afternoons and holidays, and having the arrangements therefor carried out in a systematic way. About sixty of the people connected with the company are bicycle riders and when they turn out together, they will make an imposing procession. The following officers were chosen: President, Milton R. Corey; vice president, Maud Winchester; secretary and treasurer, George H. Bower; color bearer, John T. Williams; bugler, Harry M. Bellamy; road committee, C. B. Kirkland, L. Gertrude Tetley, Ethel L. Tinker, and John D. Buckley. Frank G. Rose and Frank W. Hall were appointed a committee to draw up a set of by-laws for the organization. The club name will be adopted at the next meeting.

FIRE GUTTED A BUILDING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WEYMOUTH, Mass., May 2.—Fire this morning gutted a building owned by the Turner estate on North street, North Weymouth. The building was occupied by Simmons' meat market and the Harmony club. The loss was $2,000.

IN MARBLEHEAD

Pleasant Celebration of the 250th Anniversary.

THERE WAS NO PARADE THERE.

Schools Closed and Business Suspended.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., May 2.—The 250th anniversary of the town of Marblehead was observed with appropriate ceremonies today, although the celebration was not on such an elaborate scale as had been hoped for by many of the citizens, owing to a difference of opinion which developed over the amount to be appropriated for the purpose at the annual town meeting. The program, however, was of a pleasing and interesting nature, and the day was made a holiday by many business firms, the town officials and the public schools.

Ringing bells and reverberating cannon opened the day. Many of the stores and halls of the town, as well as private houses, were trimmed with bunting and other decorations, while flags were to be seen on every side. Abbot hall, the principal public building and the one in which the formal exercises were held, was elaborately festooned with tri-colored draperies and flags, both on the outer and inner walls.

There was no parade today. The forenoon was spent in various forms of amusement, promenades and visits to the United States gunboats Sandoval and Alvarado, which lay in the harbor. In the afternoon the school children had an entertainment in Abbott hall, and this evening, at the same place, the citizens will listen to a program which includes patriotic music, tableaux, readings and addresses, and the reading of a poem dedicated to the 250th anniversary of Marblehead, by Rev. H. Garcia Belman.

Historically, Marblehead is considered one of the most interesting in New England. The town of Salem in 1648, gave permission for the town to set up a separate government, and on May 2, 1649, the Legislature granted incorporation. Moses Maverick, Samuel Dolliber, Francis Johnson, Nicholas Merritt, John Peach, Sr., John Deveraux, and John Hartoll were the first selectmen.

WEAVERS RETURN

AND WORK AT DODGEVILLE IS RESUMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., May 2—All but five of the striking weavers at Dodgeville returned to their looms this morning. The five missing are absent from the village but will be on hand to resume work tomorrow. At noon today 310 of the 340 looms were running. The strikers went back to the same conditions as when they struck. They are to get 45 cents on four quarters as at the time the strike was declared. That price is 7 1-4 per cent advance over price formerly paid. The mill owners made no change or concessions the strikers being more than willing to go to work.

RETURNED TO WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 2.—The striking weavers in Robert Knight's mills at River Point returned to work this morning. All except 150 looms are running, many operatives having left the village temporarily or for good during the strike. This ends the cotton strikein the Pawtuxet valley. All the mills will be in full operation before the end of the week.

The strike of the woolen weavers at Centreville continues. They have organized a union and will confer with the mill men this afternoon.

CECIL RHODES' ADDRESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—An enormous crowd of people gathered in the vicinity of the Cannon street hotel here today in the hope of hearing the address of Mr. Cecil Rhodes before the meeting of the Chartered British South Africa company. The people began gathering as early as eight o'clock in the morning outside the hall and thousands were refused admission to the meeting. When Mr. Rhodes arrived at noon, he was greeted with tremendous cheering.

The Duke of Abercorn, president of the company occupied the chair and was supported by Earl Grey and Lord Gifford, vice presidents of the company and other directors.

Mr. Rhodes, addressing the meeting of two thousand persons, took an optimistic view of the pastoral and mineral future of Rhodesia. Referring to his recent visit to Berlin, Mr. Rhodes said that the agreement for carrying the telegraph line through German territory was effected through the kindness of Emperor Williams, who, whatever might have been his feeling which had resulted very unsatisfactorily to Mr. Rhodes, was still a broad-minded man (Cheers). The emperor met his propositions with an admirable breath of mind and offered him every means for carrying out his plans. The conduct of European countries, ordinarily, Mr. Rhodes said, was to levy blackmail wherever it was possible. The German emperor, however, charged nothing for the concession, except the cost of the maintenance of the line.

Dealing with his failure to come to an agreement with the government of Great Britain, respecting the proposed guarantee for the projected Cape-to-Cairo railway Mr. Rhodes said that the directors proposed to raise £3,000,000 by the issue of bonds bearing four per cent interest and with this money to build the remaining 750 miles northward. The millionaire Alfred Belt had offered to take £500,000 if Mr. Rhode took £200,000. The government had failed the company in this matter but the commercial interests of the city had carried them through. (Cheers.)

The loan scheme proposed by Mr. Rhodes was approved by the meeting on a show of hands.

TEXTILE WORKERS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 2.—The National Union of Textile Workers of America convention was opened today with an address by President Lew Weiner of Cigarmakers' Union 97, who spoke on the union label. The blue label of the International Cigarmakers' Union was indorsed.

The balance of the session was devoted to discussing amendments to the constitution.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

THE RILEY CASE

For Breach of Promise on Trial.

BEGAN IN SUPERIOR COURT TODAY.

The Plaintiff is Miss Rose Crane.

The much discussed case of Rose Crane vs. P. J. Riley for alleged breach of promise was called for trial in the superior court about 12.30 o'clock this afternoon before Judge Bond. John J. and William A. Hogan for the plaintiff and Crowley, O'Hearn and Qua for the defendant.

Three jurors were challenged as follows: Fred A. Fay, Patrick Flynn, and Walter L. Symonds.

The case was opened by William A. Hogan, Esq., who read the declaration and made the opening address.

In his remarks he stated that the plaintiff, a young girl working in the mills, made the acquaintance of the defendant, a well known business man. He began calling on her and in October of the same year he drove up to her house and took her to ride and after that called at the house sometimes as often as four times a week, in fact was a constant visitor at her house. On Christmas, 1897, he gave her a pair of opera glasses for a present. In January, 1898 the defendant proposed to the plaintiff and gave her a gold watch to mark the engagement. Then everything went along smoothly and they drove out together, going to Lawrence and in the summer to Lynn together. Miss Crane's sister accompanied them to Lynn, driving over the road in Mr. Riley's carriage. They enjoyed their vacation at Lynn until the latter part of August when Miss Crane's sister took ill and they all returned to Lowell.

At the beach in Lynn the defendant met another young lady and shortly after their return to Lowell Miss Crane heard that the defendant was calling on the other girl and taking her out riding and she upbraided him. At first he denied the accusation but later said that she was an old friend of the family.

Then his love for the plaintiff grew cold and he became a less frequent visitor to her home and finally he discontinued his visits entirely and is now going with the other lady.

Miss Crane and her family and friends believed the wedding was to take place in October, 1898 and the prospective bride gave her notice in the mill and prepared her wedding gown. When the time arrived Mr. Riley failed to live up to his agreement and the plaintiff as a result is no longer the young, light-hearted girl that she was before her bitter disappointment.

Recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of the afternoon session, the witnesses for the plaintiff were sworn. They were 13 in number and included eight women.

The first witness called was the plaintiff, Miss Rose Crane, who testified: "I am a native of New Brunswick and came to the states with my sisters in 1891. I worked in the Lawrence hosiery. When I first came here I went to live on the Lawrence corporation and lived there six months or a year. I then went to room in Merrimack street for a year. Leaving Merrimack street, we all went home, because my sister was going to be married. We stayed there all summer and I returned here with two of my sisters, going to live on Merrimack street again. We lived there until my married sister took up housekeeping here on Ames street and afterward on Mt. Washington street. Mr. Riley lived next door to us. I then only knew him by sight. We moved to Bowers street in 1897 and stayed there until 1898.

"We were all acquainted with Mr. Riley's housekeeper, Mrs. O'Neil. He met us all going into the house to see her one night after we had moved to Bowers street. He went into the house with us and stayed there until we were going. He accompanied us to the yard and said that he didn't understand why we were not acquainted before. About two weeks afterward he met my sister and as a result of what he said to her, we went to his house to stay all night with Mrs. O'Neil. Mr. Riley and his sister were there. He told us that he had finished his business in Manchester and had got back, so we didn't stay. He told us that he had asked our sister if we couldn't come up and stay all night with Mrs. O'Neil. He accompanied us part way down street. He asked us if we ever played whist and invited us to come to the house and play. The following Saturday he called at our house and said he was on his way to Manchester and wanted us to go up and stay with Mrs. O'Neil. About 9.30 o'clock, Mr. Riley came in and gave me a box of candy, saying that he had lost his train. When we were leaving, he came as far as the house with us but did not go in.

"One Sunday, either in September or October, he came to the house and asked me to ride. We drove to Lakeview by way of the boulevard in a two-horse carriage. We returned at 6 o'clock and on the following Tuesday he called at the door and later came into the house and passed the evening in the sitting room. There were present my two sisters. My sister asked him to call again when he was going and he said he would. The following Sunday, he took me to ride to Westford in the same town. We were alone. We arrived home that evening at 7.30 o'clock. On the following Wednesday evening, he called at about 9 o'clock. I had begun to think that he wasn't coming. He came in in a hurry and said that he had missed his train at Ayer Junction. We went to ride to Tewksbury on the next Sunday. From that time up to Christmas, he called every Wednesday and every Sunday. When he wouldn't call Sunday afternoon, he would call in the evening. When he took me to ride in the afternoon he would call again in the evening. Some times he would call three times a week. At some of his visits we were alone in the parlor. He took me to the Opera House frequently and always brought me flowers."

"I always considered that his visits were made to me and not to my sister's family. At Christmas he gave me a present of a pair of opera glasses."

Mr. Hogan then produced a pair of pearl mounted opera glasses which were identified by the witness and put in as evidence.

Witness continued: "When he gave me the glasses, I told him I was not in the habit of receiving presents from anyone. He told me that he didn't give presents to anyone else and I took them. Before January, 1898, we called on friends together. I remember we called on a friend of mine, a Miss Maguire in Centralville.

"In January, 1898, he proposed to me. He said that people didn't think that he had a heart at all and he said he did. He said: 'I know you have a kind heart, you have fine ideas. You remind me very much of my late wife and I think you could fill her place very well. What do you say?' I said yes," added the witness, the tears coming into her eyes.

Continuing witness said: "He told me that we would not always live on Mt. Washington street as he had land in the Highlands. At my request he said he would get a fireplace in the house and a Kemble piano. We agreed that the wedding would take place in October.

"He said he would give me an engagement present and on the following Sunday he showed me the watch. At that time he said he didn't have a fitting chain for it and would get one. About two weeks afterward he gave me the watch and chain."

Witness was wearing the watch and chain and showed them to the jury.

In response to further questions she said "Mr. Riley gave me the watch in the presence of my brother-in-law and his wife. I told them it was my engagement present and one of them said 'I suppose that is to seal your engagement,' and I replied that it was. During February he sent me a valentine."

Mr. Hogan then uncovered a large box containing the valentine which the jury inspected with the greatest interest. There were inscribed on the valentine in large golden letters the words "Love's Token." The valentine was a most elaborate creation of the golden and blue, hearts-pierced-with-arrows variety and a child's face in the center.

Witness continued: "I went to Palmer, Mass., for two weeks in the latter part of February and he wrote me a letter. He said he was lonesome without me and would be glad when I came home. He said he might go to Springfield that Thursday and that he would telephone to me from there and meet me. If he did not go to Springfield, he said for me to let him know when I was coming home and he would meet me at the depot.

"He addressed the letter 'My Dear Rose,' and concluded it 'Your own Mr. Riley.'

"'Your own Peter Riley?'" asked Mr. Crowley.

"No, sir. Your own Mr. Riley," answered the witness.

"I returned home March 12th and Mr. Riley called at the house that night. He called very frequently after that. On one occasion he showed me some land in the Highlands and said that was where he was going to build. He said that he had 60 acres of land.

"When the summer came on we drove to different summer resorts. We drove to Bedford Springs three times and we drove to Silver Lake three times. On April 10 we started to go to Concord but it rained and we turned back and came back by way of Long-Sought-For pond. We stopped at a farm house and then went down to Mr. Crevier's cottage. Mr. Crevier and Mr. Riley drank together. Mr. Riley as he started to drink said: 'We will drink to the health of the intended Mrs. Riley.'

"We drove to Lakeview very often that spring. We would usually have refreshments at Willow Dale. I attended the Knights of Sherwood Forest ball, May 6, and we were in the march together.

POPE LEO

WILL ADJUST DIFFICULTY BETWEEN HAYTI AND SAN DOMINGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The following memorandum was given out for today: "The strained relations existing between the republics of Hayti and San Domingo caused by a dispute over the boundary line between those two countries are in a fair way of settlement. The whole questions with others involved, is to be referred to the Holy See, Pope Leo the Thirteenth at Rome, to adjust. The statement that each country is massing troops on the frontier is untrue."

RIVER RISING

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

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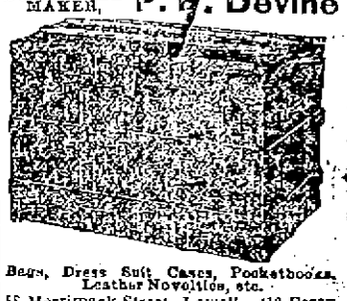
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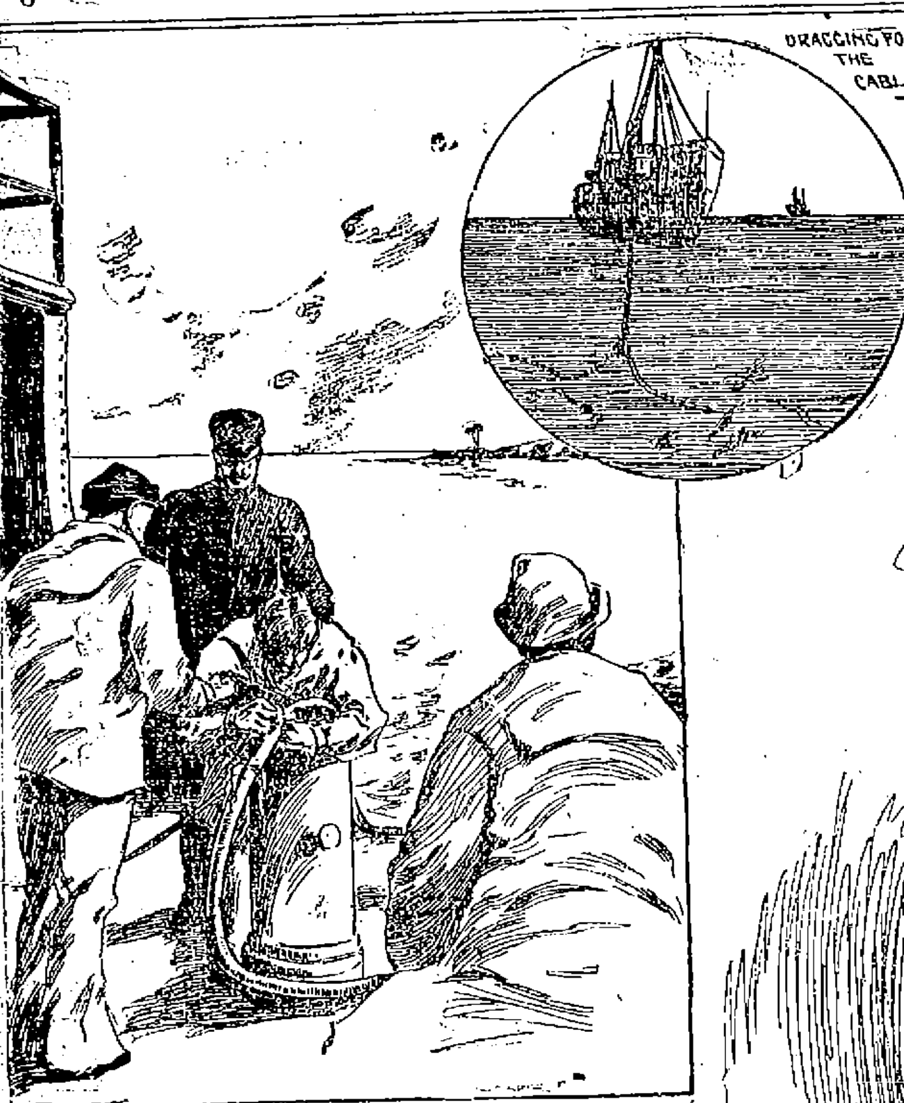
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AN HOUR WITH THE CABLE KING.

The Simple Habits of the Man Who Is Putting a Belt of Wire Around the Earth.

They expected John W. Mackay over for the Fair wedding. But he did not come. He sent the daughter of his old partner a stomacher of diamonds and wrote her a beautiful letter. That was all. He could not bear to see, they said, the girl whom he had watched grow from babyhood, at the altar. Rich, full of worldliness, engrossed by affairs, John W. Mackay has a strong vein of sentiment left in him. And the wedding would have revived sad memories.

They say that at one time both he and Mrs. Mackay planned a match between John W. Mackay, Jr., and Miss Virginia Fair, and that both were patiently waiting for the young couple to grow up into years of earnestness. But the dream was shattered when young Mackay's skull was broken while hunting three years ago, and later when Clarence Mackay married Miss Duer, they gave up all hope of seeing the child of their guardianship united to them by marriage.

There was more than one reason why John W. Mackay wanted to see such a match consummated. The Mackays are Catholics, and so is Miss Fair, and the triple tie of fortune, feeling and religion was strong.

When young Mackey came to this country, in 1840, he had little hope of ever buying a stomacher of diamonds for any one. A tall lad of 9 years, the son of parents of religious inclination, he early knew that he must win his own way in the world. So when Webb, the shipbuilder, wanted a "boy," little Mackay accepted the situation and $2 per week with pleasure. He worked for some years at shipbuilding, doing as well as he could in the routine of office work. Then chance took him to Louisville. He was here when the gold fever broke out and the forty-niners started for California.

GETTING THE FEVER.

He caught the fever, and with nothing except a miner's pick and a will he started for the coast, intending to dig through the very heart of the Sierras to strike gold.

He found gold on a rocky ledge on the site of what is now Virginia City, and a rich find it was. Young Mackay, now a slender young fellow of handsome features, serious expression and pleasant ways, found himself a mine owner in a night.

In 1864 he found James C. Flood, William O'Brien, both friendly spirits, and formed a partnership with them. Young Mackay was always lucky in his partnerships, and seemed to know an honest man when he saw one.

His first big success came in the Hale & Norcross mines, in which Mackay owned two-fifths of the stock. Then, in 1868, he formed another partnership, this time with James G. Fair, and the two struck silver so richly that in a year they mined $150,000,000 in silver and gold. That made them rich.

Fair grew to love Mackay during that mining period and when he died more than twenty years later, it was found that he had left his most precious possessions, the guardianship of his two girls and their fortunes, in the hands of his old partner.

Up to this time Mr. Mackay had worked as a common miner; and it was quite a come-down for the Widow Bryant to marry him. But he won her in Virginia City and the two started life with a big fortune. Mrs. Mackay at that time was a widow with a small child. She was very poor, as her husband, a practicing physician, had left her very little, and it is said that she seriously thought of earning her own living and that of her mother and child. But Mackay knew her and fell in love with her. She was at this time a great beauty and the men of Virginia City thought Mackay a lucky dog, indeed.

But mining is dirty work for a man and after he gets enough of the gold stuff he is willing to quit. So, soon after his marriage, Mr. Mackay arranged his Nevada and California mines in such a way that they would yield a steady income and, leaving them in the hands of overseers, he turned his attention to a project that had long been uppermost in his mind.

HIS OCEAN CABLES.

He had always cherished a scheme for the laying of a cable to Europe; and it is now a matter of history that, at the time Cyrus W. Field laid the Atlantic cable Mackay had one partly constructed from Alaska across Bering Strait, which here is only thirty-seven miles wide. This was to connect with a Siberian cable through Russia, and so communicate with England and the interior of Europe.

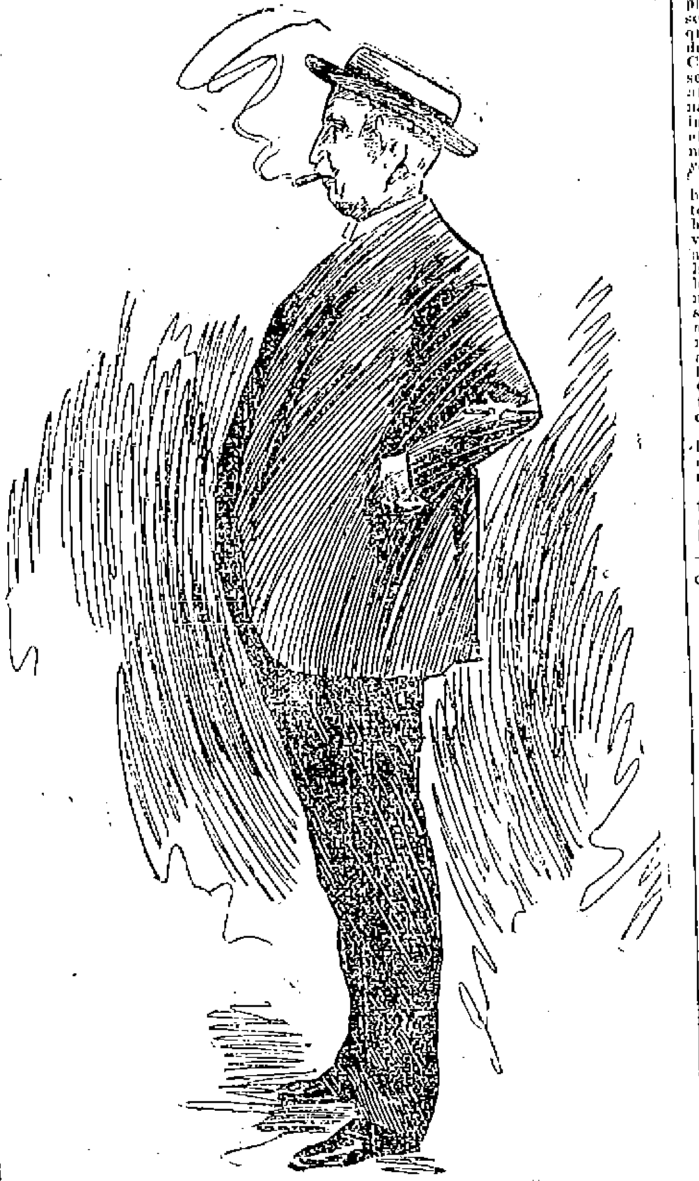
George W. Kennan was employed by Mackay to go to Siberia as a telegraph operator, and he was there when they sent word to him to abandon the project as Field had successfully laid his cable. Mackay's company had at that time spent a million, but they dropped the enterprise. It is said that they are taking it up now.

Soon the name of Mackay began to be known in the telegraph world. With money behind him he could do what others only thought and talked about. He soon controlled half the ocean cables of the world.

John W. Mackay believes in competition for the public benefit, but he never pushed it to the verge of ruin. When competing cable rates went to 12 cents a word, in the effort to force the new cable company out of the field, Mr. Mackay was satisfied with establishing a 25-cent rate and forcing his rivals to meet it permanently. This is a public benefit.

A day with the cable king is most interesting, though not wildly exciting. When in San Francisco he lives quietly at a hotel and stands at the door like any ordinary traveler. When in Paris, where he lives much of the year, he still keeps up his American ways. He has a substantial New York breakfast at 8, and, true to American training, is in the cable offices at 9.

He works all day, principally directing ambitious plans for a furtherance of the cable systems of the world. For years he has not examined his daily mail and is ignorant of the contents of ninety out of a hundred letters that are sent to him. He has two stenographers who assort the letters and a secretary who answers them, dictating all day long.



JOHN W. MACKAY, THE CABLE KING, FROM A SNAPSHOT TAKEN OF HIM IN FRONT OF HIS FAVORITE HOTEL IN SAN FRANCISCO.

HIS DAILY LIFE.

Mr. Mackay has never had a fad, and for that reason he is pronounced a sad man. But he is not sad. He reads a great deal, drives behind his horses and elects to enjoy himself in a quietly sensible way. He shoots seldom, fishes little, indulges in no great collections of objects, is not interested in the sports except in a kindly way, and knows no great fancy except for his three little grandchildren, the offspring of his stepdaughter, the Princess Colonna. Andrea is his pet, and though he would doubtless have preferred the plain name of John, he never shows his disappointment. The death of his son subdued an already quiet temperament, and for the past two years the world has seen the cable king almost not at all.

With all widespread movements, John W. Mackay has a wide sympathy, and it is asserted by his friends that if a Socialist were to approach him with outstretched hand he would drop a silver piece into it. He gives generously, and puts a vast amount of money into circulation by keeping up magnificent houses in four large cities of the world. His London house in Carlton House Terrace is magnificent.

Mr. Mackay is now reputed to be worth $112,000,000, a sum which is no doubt greatly exaggerated, but he has never been accused of hoarding or trying to accumulate more. On the contrary, he has risked millions in public enterprises.

THE QUEEN'S ROYAL YACHTS.

The New Albert and Victoria Is to Be Launched Some Time in May.

The largest, handsomest and most expensively equipped yacht in the world is now being constructed at the government dockyard at Pembroke, England. Queen Victoria is to be the mistress of this floating palace, which is to be launched some time in May, and the fact that the new craft will probably cost close upon $2,000,000 has made the Pembroke dockyard the center of interest for hundreds of students of yacht building for months past.

In size the new yacht will be simply immense, when it is considered that its use is to be that of a pleasure craft. It is to be larger than the Valiant, William K. Vanderbilt's floating palace; larger even than the Hohenzollern, Emperor William's famous war yacht; larger than J. Pierpont Morgan's yacht Corsair, which is now under construction. In fact, the new royal yacht is to be about as large as the United States cruiser Baltimore, being 420 feet over all, 50 feet beam, with a draught of 18 feet and displacement of 4,600 tons.

The hull of the Queen's new yacht will be of steel, sheathed with wood and covered with copper. She will be provided with double bottoms and will have three masts, three funnels and a clipper stem. She will be fitted with machinery that, while powerful, will be conducive to the swiftest speed. There will be two sets of triple expansion four-cylinder engines, driving twin screws, and having 11,000 horse power. The high-pressure cylinder of each engine is to be 20½ inches in diameter, and the intermediate cylinder 41½ inches, all having a stroke of 39 inches.

The steam is to be supplied by eighteen Belleville boilers, the grate area being 810 feet, and the heating surface 260,000 square feet. It is expected with this machinery the yacht will be able to make twenty knots an hour.

RUSHING THE WORK.

Although the yacht is not yet nearly ready for launching, the office of the British Admiralty is making preparations to rush the work as soon as she has left the ways. It was originally intended that the yacht should be used for cruising this summer, but of course this is an impossibility. It is hoped, however, that by making every effort it will be possible for the vessel to go into commission next fall, in which case it will probably be used on an extended Mediterranean trip next winter.

Scores of the most expert artisans to be found in the United Kingdom have been engaged, and as soon as the craft has been successfully launched they will proceed to furnish and decorate the interior in a manner to make it by all odds the most magnificent afloat.

The question of the name to be given this new royal yacht has caused the Queen no little trouble of mind. The Prince of Wales has urged her to christen it the Balmoral, while several members of the Admiralty Board have favored calling her the Enchantress. If the matter were left entirely to the Queen and no outside suggestions had been urged upon her it is safe to say that no other name than Victoria and Albert would have been thought of.

For the Queen the name Victoria and Albert suggests many tender memories of the Prince Consort. Together, the royal bride and her young husband enjoyed many pleasant cruises, and this was the name that was suggested to be borne by the first yacht that was constructed under their joint direction, and since that time every craft that has been regarded as the Queen's own royal yacht has been known as the Victoria and Albert.

Whether she will change this custom when it comes to naming her new private yacht remains to be seen.

The history of the royal cruisings is an interesting one, especially at this time, when such a magnificent yacht is to take the place of those on which the Queen was wont to sail. The first long sea voyage taken by her Majesty and Prince Albert was in the summer of 1842, two years after their marriage, when the Queen decided to visit Scotland, in order that she and the Prince Consort might have a respite from the cares of state, and, at the same time, view the scenes made familiar to them by Scott in his novels.

FIRST STEAM YACHT.

At the request of the Queen the Royal George was taken in hand at Woolwich dockyard, and was thoroughly repaired and redecorated, particular attention being paid to ventilation. The Royal George was an old vessel, even at that time, but her graceful lines still won the admiration of sailors.

The Prince Consort was not satisfied with her, however, and soon after this memorable cruise began the construction of a steam-propelled yacht, and in 1843 the first Victoria and Albert was launched. She was of 1,442 tons displacement and 400 horse power, and for several years the royal couple made frequent use of this yacht, and always under the command of the same officer, Capt. Lord Adolphus Fitz Clarence, the second natural son of William IV., who after a career of sixteen years in the navy, was appointed to the Royal George in 1830, and continued to fill the coveted position of commander of the premier royal yacht for more than twenty years.

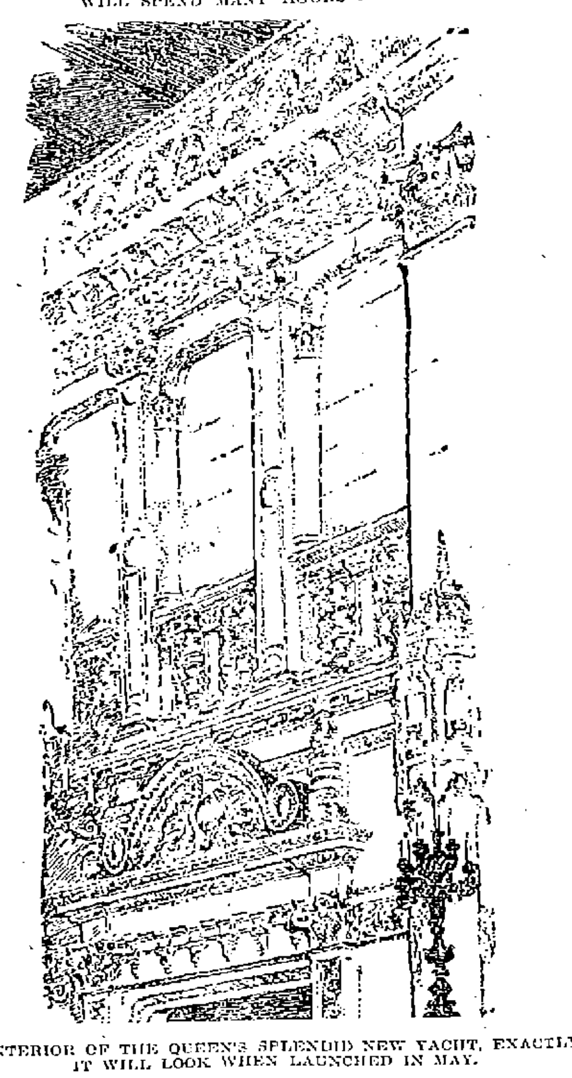
In 1854 the Prince Consort decided to build another yacht, and the second Victoria and Albert was laid down at Pembroke. She is a wooden paddlewheel vessel, with a displacement of 2,470 tons and engines capable of registering 2,980 horse power. That she has always borne the reputation of being one of the most seaworthy craft ever launched speaks well for the shipbuilding abilities of Prince Albert, for she was built, furnished and decorated entirely in accordance with his instructions. During the last years of the life of the Prince Consort this was the vessel in which the Queen and her husband always traveled.

Often since his death the Queen has been urged to permit the construction of a more modern vessel, but has always refused to consider such a suggestion.

For some time past, however, the Victoria and Albert has shown signs of decay, while the worn condition of her boilers does not permit her to exceed a low speed under the most favorable conditions.

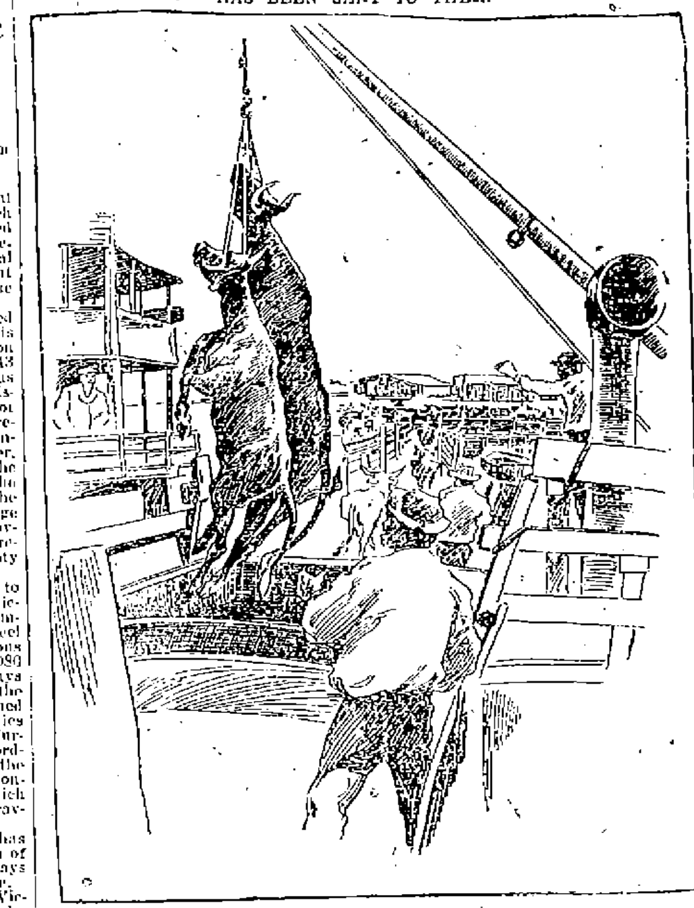
In view of these circumstances the Queen was forced to consent to the construction of this more suitable vessel; but, although she has taken considerable interest in the work that has been done and will view its completion with pleasure, she still insists that she will never abandon the old yacht, which is so intimately associated with her pleasure during the life of the Prince Consort.

CEILING DECORATION IN THE MAIN SALON OF THE QUEEN'S NEW YACHT, WHERE, IF HER MAJESTY LIVES, SHE WILL SPEND MANY HOURS AFLOAT.



THE INTERIOR OF THE QUEEN'S SPLENDID NEW YACHT, EXACTLY AS IT WILL LOOK WHEN LAUNCHED IN MAY.

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Many hundred heads of beef, all brought from the famous cattle districts of Michigan, Iowa and Illinois, were loaded into the transport and settled in comfortable ocean quarters. These cattle are well fatted and will arrive at the end of their month's journey in good condition. Here they will be placed in army cattle yards and kept until needed for the slaughter house.

Civilized man away from home longs for the flesh pots of his native land. All the choice game, all the fine fruits and all the extra large vegetables do not keep him from sighing for the good roast to which he has been accustomed, and it was as a reward for our soldiers, as well as to afford them a healthful necessity, that the meat was shipped for them.

Canada mutton is such an expensive product that it can hardly be shipped in quantities to the Philippines, but it is hinted that the commissary department of the navy is looking around for a bargain in the good Canada product in order to send good chops and a savory boil to the Manila men.

THE COACHING PARADE.

The annual parade of the Coaching Club is to be held in New York, the first or second Saturday of May. The programme of the parade this year is to be unlike that at any of the previous demonstrations of the club. In the past the members met, with their coaches and parties, in Fifth avenue near the Metropolitan Club, and then drove through the Park, across Seventy-second street and out Riverside Drive to Claremont. The members and parties will meet this spring at the Metropolitan Club for luncheon, and about 3 o'clock the parade will form in Fifth avenue at the plaza, and then follow the old route.

Twelve members of the Coaching Club have already promised to have their coaches in the parade. Three new members will make their debuts—James B. Eustis, Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Robert Livingston Gerry. Mr. Vanderbilt, who is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, although a young man just out of college, has demonstrated his ability to "handle the ribbons" of a road coach, and Mr. Gerry, who is the eldest son of ex-Commodore and Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry, has also proved himself to be an expert whip.

A PRACTICAL POET.

There are those who think that Alfred Austin's poetry is practical poetry of the model style. He himself admits that he does not enjoy rhyming for the sake of the rhyme. He wants to tell a narrative; and is happiest when describing events in rhyme. He dislikes "sweet" poetry, and prefers that which performs a mission, political or social.

The garden of the Poet Laureate is the finest in England, the variety of roses numbering 300 and the geraniums being countless. They say that Mr. Austin, while retiring in his nature, is extremely kind to the neighborhood, and that he annually helps hundreds who are in distress. Of too sensitive a nature to visit the sick, he sends gifts of flowers and fruit, and in time of severe trouble gives money.

Few Londoners ever visit England's poet because it is well known that when he retires to his country home he does so to work, and to escape the many obligations of society.

A YANKEE TROLLEY IN HAWAII

Chinese Are the Chief Patrons, and They Willingly Give Up Their Coin for a Ride.

The first American trolley car is running in Hawaii, and, strange to say, it runs through the Chinese quarter. John Chinaman, as every one knows, is averse to spending his money. He makes it by laborious scrubbing of clothes and by weeding in the gardens of the farmers, and when he gets his few dollars together he does not want to part with them.

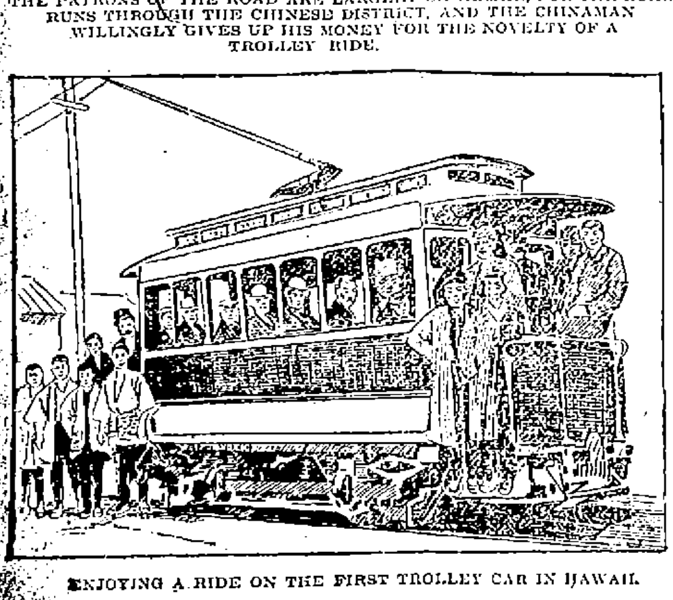
He is saving them to take back to China, where he can live forevermore on a small part of his earnings while here. But the sight of a trolley car going past his door is too much for him, and he yields to temptation, even though it robs him of his money.

The first American trolley in Hawaii is provided with cars that are exceedingly plain. They have seats of matting, and there is none of the fine decoration that is seen on our street cars. The woods are polished to make them more durable, but that is all.

The same cars are used winter and summer, and the car seats comfortably only twelve persons. The others can either crowd upon the platform or walk.

The motorman is not the skilled person who is employed in the crowded districts. Nothing ever gets in his path, and he can take his time stopping. All stand aside to see the trolley car pass by, and the motorman is a hero.

THE PATRONS OF THE ROAD ARE LARGELY CHINAMEN, FOR THE ROAD RUNS THROUGH THE CHINESE DISTRICT, AND THE CHINAMAN WILLINGLY GIVES UP HIS MONEY FOR THE NOVELTY OF A TROLLEY RIDE.



ENJOYING A RIDE ON THE FIRST TROLLEY CAR IN HAWAII.

FOR OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

This has been a year of terrible fires, particularly in New York City, where fire has destroyed $10,000,000 in property and taken more than one hundred lives this year. The Windsor Hotel fire, which occurred in the afternoon of St. Patrick's Day, was a horrible casualty. After the fire fifty bodies were found in the ruins. The burning of Idle Hour, where W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and his bride were spending their honeymoon, was another unusual fire. So thoroughly has the fire fiend done its work that the fire insurance companies have paid out $10 this year where they paid out only $1 last year.

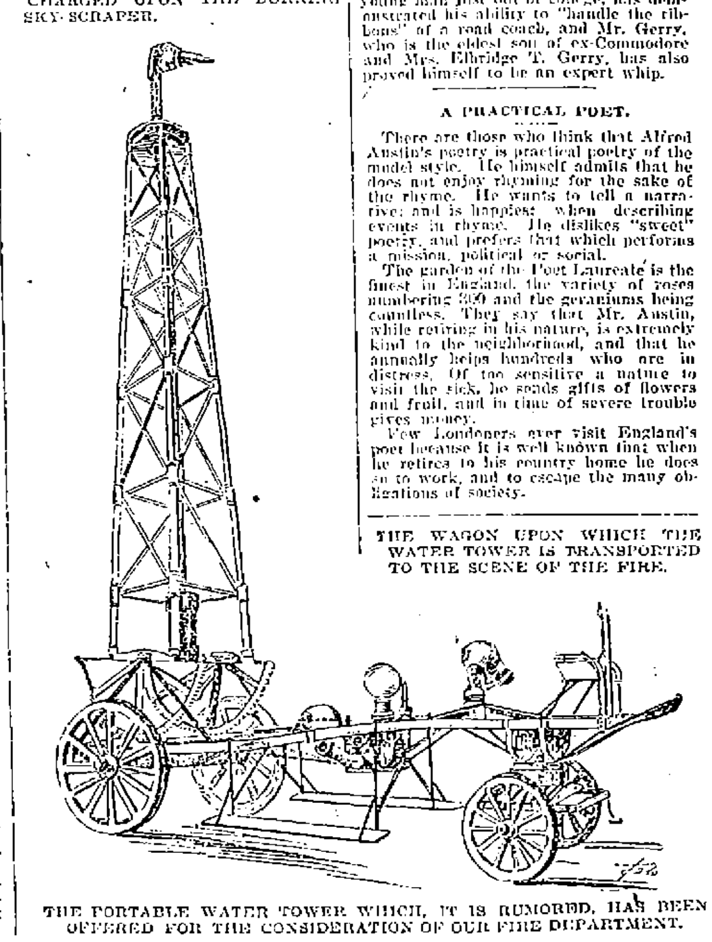
One of the greatest losses has been in the sky-scrapers, which are built so tall that they cannot be readily reached with the hose. Although we have not in this city any buildings of phenomenal height, yet it is a fact that there are several the top stories of which could not be effectively reached by our Fire Department.

It is, therefore, proposed to the department that they consider some of the new water towers which are now being investigated in New York City. One of these towers has a very high swinging attachment, by which water can be forced as high as the top of the tower, and from this height thrown through a nozzle-like projection upon the flames. It is rumored that the Fire Department of this city has had such a tower offered to them for consideration, but of this we could obtain no accurate information.

One of the advantages of this tower is that it works very quickly and without endangering the lives of the firemen. It is raised by a simple mechanical means, and when its work is done it is carted back to the engine house.

THE TOP OF THE WATER TOWER FROM WHICH WATER IS DISCHARGED UPON THE BURNING SKY-SCRAPER.

THE WAGON UPON WHICH THE WATER TOWER IS TRANSPORTED TO THE SCENE OF THE FIRE.



THE PORTABLE WATER TOWER WHICH, IT IS RUMORED, HAS BEEN OFFERED FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BASE BALL.

New Bedford is certainly to have a strong independent ball team this season, composed principally of collegians and conducted after the style of the independent teams which represented that city a number of years ago.

A number of gentlemen who were interested in the old independent team are behind the movement and Olympic field in the Whole City will be leased from its owners.

Thomas J. Brady, the Brown player, of New Bedford, will captain and manage the team. Already he is after players and some of them whom he has on his string who are quite certain to play there are John Gammons of New Bedford, who, when he was on the Brown team, made a fine reputation as a ball player; Ed. Robinson, another Brown player and a pitcher; Albert Rodman, a Brown first baseman; Walter Curley, Georgetown University, second baseman; Harry Kelley, Tufts, catcher; and Crolius, captain of the Dartmouth team.

Brady, Gammons, Robinson and Rodman were four of the Brown team of 1896, which held the undisputed title of college champions, not losing a single championship game that year.

There will probably be one or two other local men on the team. As soon as Olympic field can be put in good condition Manager Brady will invite local aspirants to participate on the field, and will pick one or two men from these candidates. The field will have a grass diamond this season, and as soon as it is rolled will be in better shape than it ever was before.

The season will be opened with a game Decoration Day morning and after that date home games will be played twice a week, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Independent ball is the only kind that has ever been successful in New Bedford, and the outlook seems bright for another good season.

There will be an unusually large number of strong independent teams in the field this summer, including the Attleboros, North Attleboros, Newton Athletics and Carters of Franklin.

Lajoie is playing an excellent second base for the Quakers, says the New York Herald.

In its seven years of existence it is figured the net profits of the 12 club league have been $1,500,000, while $1,500,000 has been paid out in salaries.

It looks rather odd to see the name of St. Louis leading all the rest of the league clubs. It is likewise a little irregular to see Boston in the middle of the list. The players of Manager Selee's club seem to be repeating last season's start, and the Boston supporters are making predictions now as to whether they will show a similar burst of speed a little later in the season.

Mike Birmingham has joined the Mansfield, Ohio, club.

Manager Burnham of Brockton has added to his list of players a catcher whose name is Hugh Kellackey, and he is also in a fair way to get Clancy, his shortstop of last year, this season. Bill Day, who is living at Newport News, Va., has been heard from and is likely to be one of the nine. The team is expected to report Monday.

The New England League will be a fine thing without doubt. Manager Moore of the Taunton team has been sick a week with erysipelas and it must be that he spent his time reading over the town records of Raynham, for he found out somewhere that Ezra Lincoln was still among the notables residing there. Ezra still thinks he can pitch, and he has allowed this opinion to induce him to make an agreement to pitch five games for the Tauntons. It is safe to say that he will not be asked to finish out his agreement.—New Bedford Mercury.

Doch of Georgetown university, must be awarded the palm as the great college pitcher of the year, having twirled successfully against Harvard, Yale, Pennsylvania and Princeton. He has received a very tempting offer from the Milwaukee Western League club.

Manager Smith of Portland has secured from the Reading club of the Atlantic league, Holmes and Outfielder Spratt. Holmes is a new man to the league, but is said to be a very fast young catcher. Spratt last year ranked as one of the best fielders of the Atlantic league, playing all the season with the Reading club, which finished third in the league race.

Tessier, who pitched for the Mathews last year, will play with the Cambridge team of the New England league.

"Billy" Connors, who has made a reputation with the Emeralds has been signed to play with the Newports of the New England league. His friends expect him to make a good showing.

The Mathews are playing in Brockton this afternoon. Ganley and McCarthy of Lowell are playing with the Brocktons.

The Textile team and the Lowell Press are playing at the Fair Grounds this afternoon.

On next Saturday the Fair grounds will be the scene of what promises to be as fine an exhibition of base ball as could be desired. The contesting teams will be the South Ends and the strong Boston University team and the relative merit of both teams is the criterion on which judgement is taken.

The South Ends will place their strongest team upon the diamond as they are anxious to win the first game and also to have the distinction of defeating a crack college team.

The Boston University team will most likely have its star twirler, Robinson in the box against the South Ends. The latter team however is determined to win and it makes no difference who does the twirling, the local team feels confident that the termination of the game will see them victorious. The attendance should be large at next Saturday's game as Lowell base ball enthusiastics bid fair to receive that which they have always clamored for—good clean and fast base ball. On Saturday May 18 another good game will be played as most likely the Tufts college team will be the opponents of the South Ends on that day. The Peabody A. C. had been looked for that day, but the management of the local team will endeavor to transfer that game to the 20th. inst. The Tufts college team wrote to the South Ends last Friday desiring to come to Lowell on the above date and the base ball public will most likely see Sammy Curran who pitched for the South Ends last year go in against his old companions on the Fairgrounds May 13. From appearances now Lowell will see some fast base ball playing this season and the public should accord the liberal patronage the game deserves. Next Saturday's game will start at 3 o'clock sharp and William F. Thornton will officiate as umpire. The South Ends' battery will be announced later.

Pete Reagan will play short stop for the South Ends in their game with Boston University on Saturday.

The Newtowne club of Cambridge will probably play at the Fair grounds Saturday, June 3rd.

The South Ends will play a return game with the Peabody team at Peabody, June 10. The crack Attleboro team which defeated New England league teams shall perhaps be seen in Lowell at the Fair grounds Saturday, May 27th.

The South Ends shall it is thought play a benefit game for some local charitable institution in a few weeks. The game will be played on a Saturday at the Fair grounds.

The Boston University team should prove a great attraction at the Fair grounds next Saturday. Jimmy Slines will do the catching for the South End team in the Boston University-South End game, Saturday.

The South Ends are booking some fine teams for games in Lowell.

The Volunteers have organized for the season of 1899 and are now ready to play any team under 14 years of age. Send all challenges to John Riley 37 Fulton street. The players are as follows: J. Riley, c, manager; W. Golden, p, captain; J. Lynch, 1b; J. Kennedy, ss; C. Slowey, 2b; O. Bryne, 3b; James Riley, lf. J. Greely, cf; J. Quinn, rf.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

A PLEASANT, SIMPLE, BUT SAFE AND EFFECTUAL CURE FOR IT.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases causing a pressure on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing; headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played-out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surface of the stomach. To secure prompt and healthy digestion is the one thing necessary to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and Fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrance of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge there from passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure but today I am the happiest of men afterusing only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use.

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FRANK STEWART

GENIAL MANAGER OF "BROTHER FOR BROTHER" A WAR VETERAN.

There were but few of the numerous Lowell acquaintances of Manager Frank Stewart of the "Brother for Brother" company, which had a very successful run in Music Hall recently, that knew that he has just returned from a hard campaign in the Philippines. Mr. Stewart was with the Astor battery in the Manila bivouacs, and marches and was engaged in several of the most important battles in that vicinity.

COLORED BAPTISTS

WILL HOLD CONVENTION IN HAVERHILL FROM MAY 18 TO 21.

The fourth convention of the Colonial Baptist association, composed of colored Baptist churches of New England will convene this year in the Calvary Baptist church in Haverhill from May 18 to 21. The officers are Rev. W. Ryan, president; Rev. W. Holland, vice president; Rev. Johnson W. Hill, secretary; Rev. Walter Gay, corresponding secretary; Rev. A. W. Adams, Rev. A. C. Powell, Rev. Leroy J. Montague, Rev F. G. W. Fowiks, and Rev. B. W. Farris, executive committee.

The convention will be opened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, May 18.

The churches which will be represented are:

Immanuel, New Haven; Macedonia, Ansonia, Ct., Calvary, Norwich; Congdon street, and Ebenezer, Providence; Union, Pawtucket; Ebenezer and St. Paul, Boston; Zion, Lynn; John street, Worcester; Calvary, Haverhill; St. John, Woburn; Shiloh, West Medford; Baptist Mission, Winchester; Peoples' Portsmouth. Lowell colored people have no church of their own here but a number of the colored sisters and brothers of the Spindle city have expressed their intentions of being present at the coming convention in Haverhill.

HERMANN SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRESLAU May 3—The trial of Herrman, charged with the murder of his three wives whose bodies he was said to have walled up in a cellar, was concluded here yesterday. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment and 10 years' loss of civil rights.

In addition to the murder of his wives Herrmann was charged with having caused the death of his 12 children, who all died young.

TEN DAYS' CONVENTION.

A ten days' convention was begun at the Wesley church in Runels' hall, last evening, a very large audience being present. The principal speaker at the meetings will be Rev. William Howard Whipple of Brooklyn.

FIFTEENTH BIRTHDAY.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer celebrated their fifteenth birthday at the home of their parents, No. 28 O'Connell street, Monday evening. The time was pleasantly passed with games and vocal and instrumental music.

Mrs. McNamee of Stackpole street has been entertaining her niece, Mrs. Chester Wallace of Littleton, N. H.

ARMORY MATTERS

DRILL OF THE AMBULANCE CORPS LAST EVENING.

At the armory last evening the Ambulance Corps had a drill preparatory to the competitive drill of the corps which will be held in Boston in the near future. Company G also had its weekly drill.

The second game in the military tournament at the armory alleys last evening resulted in a victory for Team Two of Company C by 65 pins. Captain Carr was the only man to pass the 500 mark, he having a total of 508 and a single string of 210. Captain Greig also passed 200 for a single. The score:

Team Two, Co. C.				
Richardson	177	129	134	440
Berry	153	123	118	394
Greig	135	165	206	496
Faneuf	185	168	144	497
Kelsey	128	152	166	446
Totals	778	727	770	2276
Team Two, Co. G.				
Gair	166	126	151	443
Carr	138	210	160	508
F. Hunton	96	132	137	365
Jones	131	156	166	415
L. Hunton	149	177	123	449
Totals	683	801	726	2210

FILIPINO JUNTA

SAYS AGUINALDO DENIES CONNECTION WITH PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—Representatives of the Filipino junta say they have received a telegram from Aguinaldo dated April 30th, in which he states that his government has nothing to do with the present peace negotiations, which, he asserts are being conducted by a group of half casts and creoles who are anxious for peace in the expectation of getting high offices under a new government. Several of these men, Aguinaldo says, are members of the Filipino congress, where they are endeavoring to out-vote him. Aguinaldo added that he had had no direct negotiations with the Americans since the fall of Malolos, when certain proposals passed between Dr. D. C. Worcester of the American Philippine commission and a representative of Aguinaldo looking to a peace based upon independence with an American alliance.

Aguinaldo disavows the present negotiations and adds that under no circumstances will he accept an American protectorate. The dispatch concludes with a contemptuous reference to Major Arguelles as a Spanish officer who has no more authority to act on behalf of Aguinaldo than has Luna himself.

NINTH ANNIVERSARY

OF COURT SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN OBSERVED LAST EVENING.

Court Samuel de Champlain, F. of A. observed its ninth anniversary last evening with a whist party and dance, which was held in Foresters' hall. There was a large attendance and a general good time was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Whist was commenced at 8.45 and concluded shortly before 10 o'clock. At the conclusion of the whist playing, dancing was begun and was enjoyed until after midnight. The winners at whist were awarded suitable prizes. The committee in charge of the affair was as follows: General manager, George Labrie, assistant, J. B. Hurtubise; floor marshal, Henri Chaput; assistant, J. Napoleon Cote; aids, Alphonse Gaudette, Edmonde Lambert, Alphonse Vallerand, Damasse Naud; reception committee, Mizuel Martin, chairman; Fred Rocheville, Thomas Collie, Joseph Boudreau, Onesime Grandine, Geo. Baril, Hermidas Vallerand, Dolphis Giroux, Eugene Boudreau, Frank Brassard, Edmond Ducharme, Euclide Monbleau, Hubert Gregoire.

SPAIN'S $20,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.— Acting on cable instructions from the governor of the bank of Spain at Madrid, the French ambassador, M. Cambon, has completed arrangements for the transferring to Spain the $20,000,000 received from the United States. The first treasury warrant of $5,000,000 will be delivered to the National city bank on the 4th instant and the next two warrants for $10,000,000 on the tenth instant. M. Taigny acting first secretary of the French embassy, will leave Washington tomorrow with the first $5,000,000 warrant. M. Boeufve of the embassy staff, will take the next two warrants for $10,000,000 leaving here next week, in time to deliver them on the 10th. The Spanish authorities have made no arangement for receiving the last warrant for $5,000,000. The entire cost will be about $10,000 to $50,000 before the change is complete.

NO LOAFERS ALLOWED

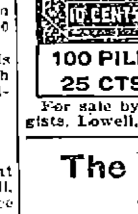
General Agent Haseltine of Haverhill has established an ironclad rule at the B. & M. depot in that city, which will probably not be broken. Loafers will not be tolerated about the premises and those who have been in the habit of using the gents' waiting room as a loitering place will be obliged to seek new fields. The loafers are warned by the agent to "get out" and if they are caught hanging around the second time a ride in the "hurry up" will be the result.

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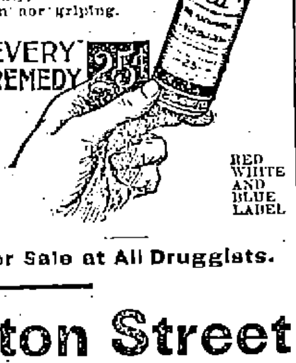
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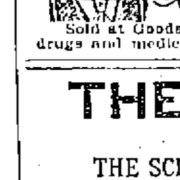
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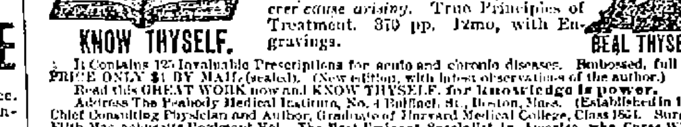
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FOR SALE—Large safe cheap. Inquire O. Tweed, Room 7, Old City hall building.

FOR SALE—The entire outfit for preparing fried fish and chipped potatoes. We are going out of the business for good reasons and offer the outfit at a bargain. For full particulars apply to J. W. Robinson, 119 Tenney street, Methuen, Mass.

WAGONS—Inspection invited to my select stock of Concords, democrats, square wagons, panel side wagons, and an assortment of second hand phaetons, Stanhope buggies, wagons in good condition, all of which I will sell at bargains. J. F. Libby, 65 Robbins street.

FOR SALE—Pool room and cigar store for sale at 160 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—On the Gaudette farm, 10 acres or more of land. Inquire at Gaudette's, Staples street, off Westford street.

FOR SALE—A first-class cobbler's shop, including all kinds of tools, lasts, machines, etc. Apply at 114 Pleasant street.

WILL SELL OR TRADE—4000 feet of land 15 minutes walk from Centralville bridge, price $100. Also a cottage of 7 rooms near Gorham street at a bargain; 60.0 feet at Yellow Meeting House. Inquire 1128 Bridge street.

MUST SELL my upright piano, stool, scarf, and 150 sheets of music; would prefer cash, but will sell on instalments. Address P. O. Box 487.

FOR SALE—Lot of land on Highland avenue 5000 feet, by Lewis D. Gaub, 914 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Near Branch and Westford streets, good cottage house of seven rooms and good barn. This is a bargain. Price $2150. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Chelmsford; near Golden Cove, small farm of 10 acres of good land, cottage house and barn; lots of fruit. This is a good chance if you want a farm near the city, and on easy terms; price $1200. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—Ten R.I.P.A.N.S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—In Westford, 40 acre farm; fair buildings, some wood and timber; keeps 10 head of stock; can be bought on easy terms. Price $1600. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, 7 room cottage house; large yard. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

MENTHOL CREAM Shampoo is used in all leading hair-dressing and bath parlors in New England. Menthol Cream Shampoo removes dandruff and all humors of the scalp. It contains alcohol, glycerine and menthol. It gives a rich, creamy lather and when used in the bath will remove pimples, etc., leaving the skin clear and soft. 50c per bottle. Sold by leading druggists.

FOR SALE—All kinds of city property, boarding and lodging houses, farms of all sizes and all locations, at prices that will suit all customers. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

RUBBER STAMPS—At wholesale prices. 1 inch one line stamps 10c.; 1 1-2 inch 15c.; 25c. ink pads 25c.; 25c. ink pads 10c.; 50c. linen markers 25c.; business stamps 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

THE EX-PRESIDENT of the Bakers' union pays one hundred dollars to all the scab shops in this city if they can show a better loaf of bread than he keeps in his store at 159 Church street. Brothers and sisters patronize him respectively. Paul Brotschneiter, Union Bakery.

CALL at 183 Merrimack street to buy or sell second-hand furniture. Telephone 608-1.

MADAM NATHAN, trance and business medium; ladies and gents 25c. 40 John street.

WATER CLOSETS and bath tubs from $5.00 up. All first class plumbing at Lowest prices. J. H. Barry, 4-8 Market street.

MRS. LINA YOWETT, nurse and midwife, 28 Birch street, Lowell, Mass., graduated from the Royal School of Obstetrics at Dresden, Germany. I am prepared to respond to all calls made upon me.

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Of House Lots on the

EMERY LAND

Over New Moody street bridge, on

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Plans and terms at the office of the "Emery Land."

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$3.50 Shoe

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Enroll during the week. As the most available means with which to win financial success, master twentieth century methods of business or short-hand—day or evening—at the

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WANTED.

WANTED—Room with power for light manufacturing, about 80x80. Address P. O. Box 978, city.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Wages $4.00 per week. None but a thoroughly competent cook and laundress need apply. 452 East Merrimack street.

WANTED—A second hand refrigerator or ice chest. Address B., Sun office.

WANTED—First class paper hangers and painters. 876 Gorham street.

WANTED—At once, girl with experience for nursery work. Apply at 228 Liberty street.

WANTED—At once ten strong, able bodied men. Apply at Lowell Fertilizing Company.

WANTED—Everywhere. Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. No canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—To take in sewing, plain fancy or otherwise, at my home. M. A. Whitney, 34 First street.

WANTED—Men to bring their lawn mowers to be sharpened and put in first class condition, by Gonzales the Cutler. Razors concaved and honed. 178 Gorham street. Every job warranted.

DESK ROOM to let in the Sun building.

WANTED—Marvel of all desirable in Vapor baths. 20th Century Bath Co., 65 5th avenue, New York.

WANTED—Reliable salesman to sell our complete line of paints, varnishes, etc.; good position and liberal terms for right man. Address "Manufacturer," Sun office.

CARPENTERS wanted at 131 Coburn street.

RELIABLE MAN to employ and look after canvassers. $60 per month and expenses guaranteed. References required. Clark & Co., 234 S. 4th street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Two good picture canvassers to go on the road. Apply George O'Connor, Hotel Vermont, 59 Chelmsford street.

WANTED—An unfurnished front room in St. Peter's parish. Call for Miss O'Day, 30 John street.

WANTED—100 boys call at Room 19, St. Lawrence hotel, to sell London Champion Silver Polish at 5c. a package. Prize given to the one selling the most. Gold watch or suit of clothes.

WANTED—Christian man or woman to qualify as correspondent. Salary $900. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope to Secretary, care Sun.

WANTED—Agents, both sexes, with and without experience. For particulars call between 10 and 2, and 7 and 9 p. m., at No. 468 Suffolk street, City. J. D. Laprise, Gen. Agt.

WANTED—Agents, young women, good money. Lowell Chemical Co., 80 Middle street.

LADIES—Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best, safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. in stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—600 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Law's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MEALERS and boarders wanted at Central Restaurant, 454 Central street, opposite Union street. Price low. Meals at all hours.

LADIES WANTED To attend the Lowell Dress Cutting Schools, opened day and evening. First evening free at 68 Merrimack street, room 16, opposite Dickson Bros.' tea store. Nesmith's Block and 876 Central street, near Opera House. First class dress makers and milliners will be employed for teaching. M. J. Greaves, Principal. Hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A black and tan dog, has a collar with bell on but no name. Finder return to 77 Saratoga street.

LOST—Small Scotch terrier; short legs and long, shaggy brown coat. Reward at 830 Nesmith street.

FOUND—The best place in Lowell for ladies to buy hats, bonnets, sailors, etc. at moderate prices is at No. 615 Merrimack street, Mde. Maxime Lepine, formerly 807 Moody street. Call in and ask prices.

TO LET.

TO LET—Quickly. Rarely any over vacant houses, tenements and flats, made and kept free from pesky bugs by the use of Dow's Bug Poison. No need to suffer with bugs when a few cents will kill all the scamps. See Dow's, 823 Central street.

TO LET—Nice tenements in good repair, near the Bunting mills and Cartridge Shop, 48 Chambers street.

TO LET—Some first class tenements in all parts of the city. Apply to A. G. Deharreli, room 8, Bon Marche Block.

TO LET—New 4-room flats, 634 Broadway, $9.00 per month.

TO LET—Two square rooms. Inquire at 719 Merrimack street, corner Austin.

TO LET—Blacksmith shop. Inquire Connors Bros., Thorndike street.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board, one large front room on first floor with gas, furnished or unfurnished. Price low. 302 Fayette street.

STORE TO LET—51 Middle street.

FOR SALE.

A fine, well built double house, modern improvements, fine garden, lots of fruit trees, 11,000 square feet of land, excellent opportunities for more buildings, a first class investment. For sale on account of owner going away. Inquire at

96 South Whipple St.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Jeremiah McCuddy, late of Manchester in the state of New Hampshire, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing William A. Hogan of Lowell, Mass., his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.
Address, Rochester, N. H. Lowell, April 15th, 1899. JOHN McCUDDY, Executor.

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The boon all seek in buying shoes—yet how few enjoy. The price you pay for the shoe does not insure it. The lasts, if correct, together, with intelligent care in assisting the selection, which is always cheerfully given by us, insures it. Try us if troubled with your feet.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

IF YOU MUST DRINK.

Drink our high grade Teas and Coffees; they are the best. Sugar delivered free to our Tea and Coffee customers. Dickson Bros., 63 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Sold on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allen, French and German lines to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown and Liverpool. Drafts issued for any amount on all parts of Ireland at Murphy's agency, 18 Appleton street.

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned takes this public method of showing her appreciation to all persons, who, by acts of kindness, by floral evidences of grief, by tender words of consolence during the illness and death of my beloved sister, the late lamented Grace M. Caskin. Each and all will be held in loving and lasting remembrance by

MISS SARAH CASKIN.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred Cigars.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone 439-4.

ANNUAL RECEPTION

OF E. LINCOLN NOWELL'S PUPILS

E. Lincoln Nowell's annual reception and exhibition was held in Prescott hall last night and about 50 couples attended. Preceding the dance was the exhibition which gave opportunity for some very graceful and pleasing work. The grand march was led by Master Ben Dow and Miss Florence Parkin. The pupils and the dances in which they appeared were as follows:

Jolly Jack—Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Louise McOsker, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Hoole, Emma McOsker, Blanche Umpleby, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Paul McOsker, Master Hans Borjes, Master Will Sawyer, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Pansy Sawyer.

Irish Washerwoman—Louise McOsker; Emma McOsker.

Stars and Stripes—Carrie Tyrrell.

Fountleroy—Elsie Umpleby, Elma Lofgren, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Gilbert Beane.

Gavotte—Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Heole, May Beane, Louise McOsker, Master Paul McOsker, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Hans Borjes, Master Will Sawyer, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Pansy Sawyer.

The aids were Alfred A. Cutting, Robert W. Thomson, George W. Gilman, Sidney M. Whitman.

ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

BRILLIANT CONCERT AT ASSOCIATE HALL LAST EVENING.

The Lowell Orchestral society closed its season with a complimentary concert given to the honorary members and their friends at Associate hall last evening. The program for the orchestra was selected by the honorary members and included a number of the most popular pieces played by the society during the season, all of which were rendered with accuracy and precision and in a manner to gratify their warmest supporters. Miss Jennie Lorea, the popular soprano soloist, appeared in a number of selections and added new laurels to her already secure reputation. Mr. W. E. McPherson of Boston, a basso of the first order, captured the audience with his selections which were given in a masterly style. His popularity in Lowell is henceforth assured. Miss Mary Harrington, a pupil of Prof. Borjes, made her first appearance in public, and performed De Berlot's Fantasia Ballet in four difficult movements. The first three movements she played in a way that captivated the audience and demonstrated that she has talent of a high order and remarkable skill for her years. At the end of the third movement, the ushers, supposing that it was the termination of the piece created something of a sensation by rushing to the stage with flowers. This unfortunate incident which she failed to comprehend, together with the excessive heat and intense excitement for one so young, overcame Miss Harrington so that she became quite nervous. Had she terminated her selection with the third movement, it would under the circumstances have been much easier for her, but she pluckily played the piece to the end and retired amid the most generous applause from the audience. The Citizen this morning in speaking of Miss Harrington's performance says: "She handled her bow with skill and precision, showing excellent promise for so youthful a musician," and added: "Her friends have reason to believe that she will reap success in the future." The Mail in speaking of her performance says: "She is a promising young amateur, and gave a very clever performance of this difficult selection in spite of the difficulty engendered by a first appearance."

Mr. Fleet, as accompanist, acquitted himself in a most creditable manner, giving entire satisfaction to the soloists and the audience.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

AND CONCERT AT THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

A large audience was present last evening at the First Universalist church to listen to a fine concert program. A phonograph in charge of Mr. U. H. Bettye added greatly to the length of the program and also to the enjoyment of the audience. The records were very fine and the tones came pure and true. Miss Ruth Crawford in a number of selected reading, was a popular contributor to the evening's pleasure and received deserved encores.

Winsome Nettie Studley sang herself into the good graces of the audience who was so delighted with her sweet rendition of popular melodies that it applauded her to the encore and verily would have kept her singing yet if the people composing it had had their own way. The program in full follows:

Phonograph selections—Metropolitan solo, Ben Bolt; Zither serenade.

Reading by Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Sleighride Party, Mocking Bird, Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders.

Reading of Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Holy City, Hot Corn, Piccolo solo, Annie Laurie; Suwanee river.

Soprano solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections, Georgia camp-meeting, Skylark polka, On Board the Oregon, Patrol Comeque, Cornfield Melody.

Solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections: Zylophone solo, Dancing on the Barn Floor, Golden Harp, Same Old Smile, Marching Through Georgia.

"Honest Labor Bears a Lovely Face."

There is nothing more striking and pleasing to look upon, than a hearty, ruddy face, gained by honest toil. They are the saving of the nation, these toilers of both sexes struggling for daily bread.

Pure blood makes them strong and more able to keep up the daily round of duty whether at home, shop or store. If the blood has a taint or impurity, or a run down feeling comes on, the one remedy is Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine, for purifying the blood.

Leg Sores—"*Sores on my wife's limb were so bad she could not walk. Physicians' aid of no value and she used crutches. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, she laid them aside and walked freely.*" *Fred A. Hoyle, Reynolds Bridge, Conn.*

Grip—"*Was in very bad condition after an attack of grip. Nothing helped me and I almost gave up hope. I am strong and feel better now than in twenty years, all because I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, which made my blood rich and pure.*" *John O. Duncan, 619 Russell av., Indianapolis, Ind.*

Bad Blood—"*Although past 70 years of age I am thoroughly well. It was three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla that made me so after spending over $60 in medical attendance. My trouble was a raw sore on my ankle.*" *Mrs. Louisa Mason, Court Street, Lowell, Mass.*

Dyspepsia—"*For twelve years I was dyspeptic and broken in health, had terrible pains in my back and was unable to work. When I had taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I recovered my health. I always recommend it.*" *J. F. Manor, 362 8th St., Oswego, N. Y.*

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

GIRLS' EDUCATION

Discussed By Miss Alice Freeman Palmer

BEFORE THE HIGHLAND WOMENS' CLUB.

Closer Attention to Schoolroom Sanitation.

A very interesting and instructive lecture was delivered yesterday afternoon before the Highland Women's club by Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer of Cambridge. Her subject was "The Education of Girls." The hall was filled and Mrs. Palmer was listened to by the large audience with great attention. Mrs. Palmer particularly spoke of the great responsibility that rests on American mothers now, compared with that of 40 years ago. She quoted statistics showing that there are 25 occupations in which girls are now engaged to the one occupation of 40 years ago, and said that this was the chief cause of the increase of women's responsibility.

Entering into her discourse, Mrs. Palmer said in part: "Our greatest responsibility is the training of girls for future endeavors and that training must be done in the school, the church and the home. We must set the standard and educate the girls in accordance with the change that has taken place in the last two score years.

"There is no question that arises that the girl as well as the boy should not be familiar with. We must teach them what makes patriotism, loyalty, earnestness and good municipal government.

"Men and women are comrades and they have an equal responsibility, though I sometimes think that the woman's responsibility, as far as the training of the young mind is concerned, is greater than the man's. There are about 13,000 public school teachers in the United States; only 1000 are men and the majority of the congregations of our churches are women. There is one idea that appears to have gained an unwarranted hold upon the public mind and that is, that the education of the boy or girl depends upon the chances afforded after he or she is 16 years old. This is a mistake. The manner of life, customs, disposition, etc., generally take root before the child arrives at that age, and if there is anything to be impressed it must be done while the disposition is yet easily moulded.

"There is nothing impossible with a New England girl; they are the souls of enthusiasm, interest, adaptation. I once heard the late Frances Willard break out in the middle of an address to the Wellesley College girls and exclaim: 'Oh, girls! how glad I am you are alive; that you are so much alive.' I am indeed glad to think that the New England girl is so very much alive that all they need is the proper training of ideals, aims and education. Some fathers and mothers are so very, very good and kind to their children, that if the latter are at all obedient and good natured they think that is all required of them. That the natural course of events will teach them the rest. No need for me to comment upon this opinion of so many kind fathers and mothers any more than to say that they are wrong. Girls should go to college earlier than at the age of 16, for their minds are in better condition to be trained at an earlier age.

"The struggle is doubly hard, no doubt, for some girls on account of poor training and inherited difficulties but there is no New England girl that enters college that cannot overcome all that may lie in her way in the line of difficulties.

"To have the girls strong and healthy should be the chief aim, and we as women should see to it that the schools, the church and the home have the proper ventilation and insist upon it that the girls shall have the proper out-door exercise. It used to be that the girl of delicate constitution and nervous temperament was the ideal girl, but those days have passed. The ideal girl of today is the strong, healthy girl, healthy in mind and body and pure of spirit. We do not want to see the building of asylums and places of refuge constantly going on for the stowing away of the flower of American womanhood; and in order to avoid it we must see to it that the conditions surrounding our girls are congenial to health and we must begin in the kindergarten and in the home. We must create in the mind of the child a love for all that is natural and beautiful and it must be done before the child has gone beyond the years that accept Love's teachings. Give your daughters simple pleasure and enough of it, but never for a moment forget your responsibility.

"It is possible to educate the child to speak as fluently and accurately with the brush and with the pencil as he or she can talk. I have been a teacher for 32 years and I know that this is so. We are a very masterful people and we should apply our power."

After the lecture there was an informal tea and the ladies who poured were Mrs. L. H. Swift, Mrs. Ralph A. Day of Lawrence, Misses Juliette Carter and Julia Percy. Misses Hanson, Foss and Stevens assisted in passing, and frappe was served by Mrs. Frederick Farnham, Mrs. Frank Stowell with Miss Lymon and Miss Cheney for assistants.

Dr. Mitchell says in difficult cases of Anemia, he adds cod-liver oil half an hour after each meal and he likes to use it in an emulsion; that he has watched with growing surprise some listless, feeble, creature gathering flesh, color and wholesomeness of mind and body from this treatment.

"Scott's Emulsion" is cod-liver oil combined with hypophosphites. It regenerates tissue, invigorates the nerves and brain, enriches the blood and adds fat and strength.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

THE POLICE BOARD

Long List of Minor Licenses Granted.

MANY APPLICANTS GIVEN LEAVE TO WITHDRAW.

Licenses Granted to Sell Pure Alcohol.

The following business was transacted at last night's meeting of the board of police:

Licenses granted:

Intelligence offices, Sarah Bates, 116 Middlesex; Allbion Moore, 41 Central.

Junk collectors, Harris Felnberg, 253 Aiken avenue; Derby Courcy, rear 25 Winter.

Second hand dealer, Israel Namnis, 332 Middlesex.

Junk dealer, Samuel Cohen, 20 Howard.

Pool and billiards, Wm. H. Bell, 249 Central; Michael J. Brain, 498-504 Middlesex.

Fish wagon, George M. Teel, 147 Warwick.

To sell pure alcohol, Chas. E. Adams, 404 Middlesex; C. B. Coburn & Co, 68 Market; Talbot, D. C. & Co., 40 Middle.

Express wagons, Henry Pratt, 27 Phillip; Prime Decoteau, 167 Salem; (new), American Express Co, Market and Central, 10 Wagons; Alfred Gloddy, 617 Merrimack; John H. Hanley, 7 Merrill, 2 wagons; (new) Boston and Lowell Express, Jackson street, 8 wagons.

Innholder, Michael J. Brain, St. Lawrence hotel, Middlesex and Edward.

Common Victuallers—Georgianna Gagnon, 122 Middlesex; Emily W. Armstrong, 16 Shafer; Kate F. Fox, 78-80 Newhall; Charles H. Bennett, 281 Pawtucket; Russell McDonnld, 1011 Middlesex; John McGarrell, 263 Middlesex; Eusebe Asselin, 404 Moody, Wolford N. Gilbert, 103 Andrew; Hannah Hurley, 291 Market; Ellen J. Henry, 18 Runels' place; Mary Saxe, 78 Appleton; Alphonse Billeville, 205 Moody; George Xanthakes, 213 Merrimack; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Jackson and Central; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Second and Bridge; Anastasio Loonis, 461 Market; Agnes Mulhair, 41 Franklin; Louis Dubec, 470 Merrimack; Mary Kerrigan, 3 Jewett street; Kate Gordon, 545 Middlesex; William J. Burbeck, Gorham and Middlesex; Annie Laughton, 744 Merrimack; Joseph Lafertiere, 89 Hanover; James S. Davis, 359 Middlesex; Margaret McEachran, 33 Lee; John Leary, 573 Central; John P. Upton, 608 Rogers; Elsie E. Barnet, 6 and 6 Mass. Corp.; David Laferriere, Boulevard and Ferry road; Edward O'Connor, 321 Lawrence; Prosper Milot, 42 and 44 Lee; Frank M. Spicer, 743 Middlesex; George Dupuis, 361 Moody; Flora Bebarrel, 220 Chelmsford; Adele Morin, 22 Lee; Lydia M. Schoolcraft, Moody and Prince; Mrs. Thomas H. Husband, 2 Davis square; Margaret O'Brien, 405 School.

Pawnbroker hand of T. H. Kelly & Co., accepted, approved and placed on file.

Leave to withdraw granted on the following petitions:

Common victualler: Frank W. Phillips, 48 Cross; S. S. Cunningham & Co., 948 Gorham; Darwin L. Phillips, 17 Chelmsford; E. J. McHugh, 698 Gorham; D. E. Ready, 771 Broadway; Thomas Hibay, 136 Duton; Arthur Desjardines, 79 Cheever; Bridget Faulkner, 72 Jefferson; Margaret Rowan, 60 Concord; John McGovern, 146 Concord; Walter Booth, 73 East Merrimack; Ellen E. Sears, 32 Fifth avenue; Kate Hartwell, 38 White; Grace A. Hanson, 389 Lakeview avenue; Bergeron & Savard, 307 Mammoth road.

Express wagons, Adney Lovering, 91 Manchester; Geo. H. Seavel, 143 Forest; Louis Tanguey, 208 Hall.

Licenses granted.

Hawker and peddler, Head & Frye, Jackson; Meyer Klein, 119 Howard; Lewis E. Small, Tewsbury; Wm. J. Hart, 58 Jewett.

Common victualler, Henry Carpenter, 142 Salem; John Donohue, 412 Suffolk; James W. Grady, 140 Worthen; Frank St. Onge, 616 Merrimack; Annie Kelly, 790 Princeton; Maurice W. Bowen, 360 Moody; Hermidas Arvisas, 71 Cabot; Edward Cinqmars, 249 Moody; Joseph Lagasse, 2 Carter's block, Lakeview avenue; Thetile Bombardir, 12 Lakeview avenue; Thomas Murphy, 379 Middlesex; Chas. Johnson, Jr., 3 Mammoth road; Patrick Brady, 176 Chapel; Arthur Hall, Fifth and Bridge; Lizzie Mylotte, 227 Hildreth; Agnes Redhead, 83 Salem; Rosetta Wood, 32 Branch.

Pawnbroker, T. H. Kelly & Co., 392 Middlesex.

Leave to withdraw:

Common victualler, Bernard McManus, 475 Lawrence; John Roberts, 456 Lawrence; Peter F. Quinn, 35 Concord; Winifred Tomey, 73 Concord; Geo. S. Holt, 10 Cross; Margaret Clinton, 56 Marion.

Monthly bills approved.

The employes of the Franklin Dickey, the new proprietor with two handsome floral pieces on his arrival from Lowell, Monday.

WOOLEN SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union was held in Bay State hall last night. Twelve candidates were initiated and 15 propositions were accepted. Spinners were present from all the local mills. It is expected that many more spinners in Lowell will join the union before its next meeting. The election of officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be held the first Tuesday in June.

The marriage is announced of Miss Carolyn M. Gould of Branch street and Frederick M. Wilder of Brownville, Me. No cards.

Sorosis Shoes for Women. We are Sole Agents for Lowell. Full Line Sizes, New Lasts.

BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.

Some Seasonable Bargains in BELTS, TRMIMED SAILOR HATS, PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, FLOWER SEEDS, WINDOW SCREENS, etc.

Grand Opening Sale of Parasols and Sun Umbrellas This Week, Commencing Today. Low Prices.

BELTS.

Kid Belts in black and colors, **15 Cents Each**

Ladies' Belts in Kid and Leather, all shades, **19 Cents Each**

Our line of belts at 25c is superb, **25 Cents Each**

This is an odd price. The belts are worth 50c, **35 Cents Each**

At 49c we have seal, calf and fancy leather belts, **49 Cents Each**

Special Sale of Flower Seeds in our Basement. L. L. May's Celebrated Seeds, Warranted, 1c. a p'kg. This Week Only.

Sailor Hats, Walking Hats, Shapes.

We have recently bought (in fact, just marked off), several sample lots of fine Millinery, scarcely two pieces or Hats alike, at one-third regular prices. We will place the goods on sale today, if possible, at prices unheard of in the history of hats and bonnets. We mention 3 items here in hats. There are hundreds of others.

Ladies' Sailor Hats, (White Only). **19 Cents**

Ladies' fine grade straw shapes, in all colors and black, **25 Cents**

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors and Shapes, all new shades, etc., **49 Cents**

HOSIERY DEPT.

We have the best makes of hose made represented in our vast stock. We also buy from American manufacturers. Here's two case lots:

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In connection with the great sale of millinery we will sell another lot of fine silk muslin chiffons at a price unheard of in all America, viz.: **10c. a Yard**

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1st lot "R" regular dollar gloves, in all colors, button, lacing and clasp **79 Cents**

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Door and Window Screens, Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers

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One lot of window screens in hard wood, adjustable, **19 Cents Each**

One lot of window screen, extra large, adjustable, **25 Cents Each**

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We expect our screen doors in tomorrow, don't buy a door until you see ours and the prices. **75c. Upwards**

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Extra large 2 burner oil stoves, **89 Cents**

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2 quart size $1.39, 3 quart size $1.69, 4 quart size $1.85. Every freezer warranted
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Under the New Management of the Dress Goods and Domestic Departments COOK, TAYLOR & CO, Central Street are to Inaugurate a

Grand Clearance Sale

For THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. The sale will include the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods and Domestics. We had intended to hold this sale a week earlier, but the rush of business and the amount of work necessary in remarking and re-arranging so large a stock has caused delay. But this delay will give you the advantage of buying from five or six cases of New WashGoods bought the past week.

Dress Goods Dept.

We are determined to make a clean sweep in this department during this month. We have been through the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Novelties, etc., and put such low prices on them that we hope to virtually close out the whole stock of Crepons, Henriettas, Serges, Cheviots, Poplins, India Twills, Coverts, Novelties, Mixtures, Mohairs, Sicilians, Plaids, Broadcloths and Heavy Suitings.

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1 lot of 15c. Organdie Muslins, only 10c.
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1 Solid Case of Printed Lace Lawns, a big bargain ..... At 5c. yard.
1 lot of Corded Madras Ginghams, in Plaids and Stripes .. Only 25c. yard.
1 case of 27-inch Dress Ginghams regular 17c. Goods.... Only 12 1-2c. yard
1 Case of Fancy Dress Gingham, Plaids and Stripes ..... Only 9c. yard
1 case of Corded Dimities, beautiful styles ..... Only 10c. yard
1 lot of corded Dimities, all new styles ..... Only 12 1-2c. yard
1 case of Printed P. K. all new designs ..... Only 10c. yard

Our Basement Dept. is a Busy Place.

We Offer in This Department

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Fruit of Loom 4-4 Bleached Cotton, ... Only 6 1-4c. yard
2 bales of Continental 4-4 Cotton, ... Only 5c. yard
100 dozen Honey Comb Towels ..... Only 4c. each.
More than 100 pieces of crash to be closed out in our basement. Prices from ..... 3 to 12 1-2c. yard

Basement.

(Continued.)

1 lot of 75c. Crochet Bed Spreads. Great Bargain ..... 59c.
Best Outing Flannel ..... Only 6 1-4c.
500 yards of Best Turkey Red Damask, (39 and 48c. goods) fast colors, only, ... 39c.
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HIS LOVE GREW COLD

Alleges Pretty Rose Crane Against P. J. Riley.

Interesting Breach of Promise Suit on Trial in Superior Court—Plaintiff Had Begun to Get Her Wedding Gown—Testimony Refreshingly Free From Sensational Features.

The Riley case which was begun yesterday noon in superior court is on again today and will take all day and perhaps a portion of tomorrow's time.

The opening testimony of the case as appeared in yesterday's edition of The Sun will appear on page 5 of today's. The later testimony with the plaintiff, Miss Crane, on the stand is as follows:

"In July we went to Nantasket beach on Sunday, Mr. Riley hired a conveyance and we drove over the Jerusalem road. We had a tintype taken at Nantasket."

Here the tintype was produced, and the jurors inspected it individually.

"On July 4 we went to an outing at Long Pond, my two sisters accompanying us. We drove there in Mr. Riley's carryall. We stayed there all day" continued the witness.

"On August, 1898, we went to Lynn in a carryall and two horses owned and driven by Mr. Riley. My younger sister was with us. We arrived there in the afternoon. We stopped at the Nahant House. Mr. Riley stayed there over Sunday. We all spent Sunday evening at the Nahant House. He left Monday and returned Wednesday evening and spent the evening with me. We met him on the beach the following day and we all went in bathing. I left Lynn Friday noon as my sister was ill. On the Monday night following he called at the house and we went to ride through Chelmsford. We went to the fete on the Butler grounds and stayed there until 12 o'clock. I think there were about 1000 people there.

"After my return from the beach he took me to a lawn party in the Oaklands. Mr. Riley asked me to go to Palmer with him. My chum, Miss Maguire was in Palmer. He had business in Springfield and wanted me to stay in Palmer while he was at Springfield. I went to Palmer on a Thursday evening in August. When we got to the depot we found that we could not make connections at Mr. Riley's brother informed us on the train. Then we went to Lynn and stayed with Mr. Riley's brother's folks that night. I slept with Mr. Riley's daughter.

The next morning we started for Palmer and arrived there at 11 o'clock. We started on Wednesday instead of Thursday and went to Palmer on Thursday, leaving there on Friday afternoon. We had dinner with Miss Maguire's folks, after which he went to Springfield but returned that night. After that we went to Glen Forest a few times.

LOVE GREW COLD.

"After our trips to Glen Forest, I noticed a change in him. He didn't call as often as formerly and I noticed the change in a great many ways. I didn't say anything to him about it. On Sept. 28 he did not call for the first Wednesday since we had been going together. He called the following Saturday and said he was going to Manchester, Sunday. I insisted on his not going and he said he would put it off until next Sunday and he took me out riding on that Sunday. On the Sunday of October 2 he did not call having told me during the week that he was going to Manchester.

"When he did call I heard he was calling on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere. I asked him if he had called on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere, on that Wednesday night. He said he had as they were old friends of his, and he had been invited by a young lady named Miss Cullinan. He said he didn't call there to see any one in particular and would not call again if it hurt my feelings.

"Then he told me that he was going to Manchester the following Sunday. I went to his house Sunday morning and found him in the house. When I asked him about Manchester he said he had lost his train. I told him that he had no intention of going there but was going to take a young lady to ride. He denied this and afterwards drove me home. He said he would call in the afternoon but did not call until evening. He said then that he had to look over his books in the afternoon.

"He called on me the following Thursday and I asked him why he didn't come on Wednesday and he didn't satisfy me with the explanation. I asked him if he had been on Pleasant street and he laughed it off. He denied having even been there Sunday afternoon.

"On the 18th of October we went to ride in the afternoon. He promised to call again in the evening but he didn't come. I went to his house and I asked him why he didn't call on Sunday and he said he didn't care to call. He then asked me if I came to see him or Miss O'Neil. I said I came to see him. He said he was going out and asked me to go out with him. We drove up School street and I waited in the carriage while he went into a house to see a friend. Then we went to Pawtucketville and returned at 10 o'clock. He promised to call on me the following Wednesday evening but did not. I went to his home the following night with a letter to leave for him. I found him there and told him that as long as he was there I would burn it. I put it in the stove and Mrs. O'Neil took it out. Mr. Riley looked in the stove and said I did not put it in. Mrs. O'Neil then gave it to me and I gave it to Mr. Riley. He said the reason he did not call the night before was because it rained too hard. I told him that he did go out and he only laughed.

He promised to call on me and explain himself. He didn't call that week and I went to his home and found him there. I asked him why he didn't call and he said he had business to attend to. I said he wasn't treating me right and he said he was. I accused him of keeping company with another young lady. He said that he had other places that he preferred to go before going to see me. When I started to go home, he said, 'you aren't going to leave me now?' I said: 'I am going home.' He said: 'You aren't going to take a man out in this rain?' Then we started out. When we were passing Bowers street he said that he was sorry he ever got me to leave Bowers street. I asked him if he remembered what he had said to me when I was leaving there and he began to sing me a love song. Later on I asked him why he was acting so and he didn't reply. Then I asked him if he was going to cast me off and he said he was going to break up housekeeping and go to live in a hotel and I could call and see him. I told him I never would.'

"I then asked him if he remembered his promise and he said: Sometimes my yes means no. I am never going to get married. I must mend my ways."

"He told me then to get another fellow and no one would know whether I left him or he left me. I told him I would never get another fellow. Then he said: 'Well, I'll call on you and go around with you but I will never marry you.'"

I asked him if he didn't mean anything when he was making love to me. He said: "Oh, no, weren't you ever in love before? That is nothing: you will get over it easy enough." I told him it was enough to drive anybody wild and he said that I wouldn't feel it long. He said he had been in love lots of times."

At this point the court adjourned until today.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

Court open at 9.30 this morning with a good sized audience and prior to the calling off the Crane-Riley case the court considered the motion of Mr. Qua in the Townsend case. This however, took up only a few minutes after which the plaintiff, Miss Crane, resumed the stand.

She testified: "When I told him I had left my work and that I could not go back, he said, 'You can go back all right; you'll get over that. I told him that it was too late to talk like this. He must marry me and what he thought my folks would think. He said that they were only a pack of fools that he had made up his mind long ago using profane language and that he didn't care what they thought. He was not going to marry. Lots of girls he said, naming them, had told him that they loved him and he said he could have got married three years ago if he wanted to. He also said: 'You'll get over this all right. Then he promised to call on me the following Sunday crossing his throat when he promised. He did not call. The following Tuesday, October 25, he came to the door and talked with her there. He would not come in and used profane language. This call was in response to a letter which I sent him on Monday.

That was the last time I saw him. He said there were threats in the letter I sent him.

A bunch of letters was produced at this point and the witness asked to point out the one written on October 24. It was not there.

Resuming her testimony Miss Crane said: "I asked him in the letter why he was treating me so terribly. I told him that I was near broken-hearted and could not stand it. Why should you ever let it come to this? Why didn't you tell me long ago? It was a long letter but I can't remember it all. I asked him how I should ever tell my folks and that I would die before I'd tell them. I had said so much in his praise that I was ashamed to tell them and could never look them in the face.

"I asked him what the threats were and he said, 'They were threats on yourself which were just the same as if you put them on me.' He said I didn't come here to answer questions. You don't talk sense. Go back to your work, you haven't committed any crime there. I worked there before you did. I told him I was going away and he wanted to know where. I wouldn't tell him. He asked if my folks knew I was going and I said they did not. He then said: "If you think so much of your folks, you ought to tell them.' I told him that I was going away on Thursday and he said he would see me before I went.

"We talked over our wedding at the time of his proposal and we set the date for October 19th. As the time drew near, I got everything ready for our marriage. I bought clothing and things for the house. I got a couch, furnishings for a chamber room and in fact every room in the house, dining room, parlor, kitchen, everything that one would desire to keep house. I showed them all to Mr. Riley on several occasions. I got my own clothing, wedding gown, house dress, underclothing and everything else one would need. I gave my notice on the 19th of September and left on the following 27th.

This ended the direct examination at this point, the other jury was excused until tomorrow.

CROSS-EXAMINATION.

The first question put by Mayor Crowley in cross-examination was, "How old are you?"

"I was 27 years old on April 28th last," was the answer.

In response to further questions she reviewed her early residence in Lowell practically as she gave it in her direct testimony.

"Did you know when Mr. Riley's first wife died?" asked Mayor Crowley during the cross-examination.

"Yes, I read it on her tombstone. Mr. Riley took me to see her grave in the cemetery," answered the witness.

A great part of the early cross-examination was given to a review of the facts leading up to their close acquaintance and subsequent alleged proposal. Miss Crane testified in answer to a question and said that while they were going together Mr. Riley only missed two Wednesday evenings at her house and on one of these his brother's death called him away. She explained the presentation of the opera glasses at Christmas, saying that two nights before Christmas Mr. Riley took her to the Opera House and after they were seated he drew out the glasses from their case and passed them to her without a word. "I didn't think they were a present, then," said Miss Crane, "and after I had finished with them, I returned them to him and he put them in the case and put the case in his pocket. When we went home that night he gave me the glasses and told me they were a Christmas present. At that time she said I thought his attentions were more than mere friendship and as I had never taken presents from anyone. I didn't want to take them at first. But when he said he didn't give presents to any one else and said it was all right then I took it."

"Didn't you have some other motive?"

"Well, if he meant more than friendship I would accept the present but otherwise, I would not and that was partly why I made the remark.

During her entire examination Miss Crane had stood, while testifying but at this point, becoming wearied of the great strain she took a chair and began to relate the circumstances surrounding the proposal made by Mr. Riley.

"The proposal was made" she said, "on Wednesday, Jan. 26. I remember the date because I put it down in a memorandum and because Mr. Riley called my attention to it. When the others left the room, Mr. Riley drew up near where I was sitting and asked me to come and sit close to him. Then he began to lament about his brother's death, saying that people did not sympathize with him, seeming to think that he didn't need it. He said you might have brothers and sisters and friends who would sympathize with you but neither brothers, sisters nor friends could comfort and care for you as a wife could. Then he talked of marriage life and said he didn't like to live alone. He said: "I can get plenty of old maids and widows for a wife, but I want a nice young lady.' He said further that he wanted his daughter to live with him but not until he had a wife. Then he said that I had very bright ideas and put him very much in mind of his wife which he had often told me before. Then he said I could take her place very well, and concluded with 'What do you say?' I said yes. Then he said that he didn't expect me to love him as much as he loved me, but he said he would teach me to love him and he declared his love for me. He then spoke about the engagement present, and spoke of a ring and a watch. He said we would not always live on Mt. Washington street."

"Did you ever hear that Mr. Riley had the reputation on Mt. Washington street of being a very wealthy man?" asked Mr. Crowley.

"I heard he was well to do," answered the witness.

"When you kept company with him you had that in your mind didn't you?

"Well, I didn't think much about it. Yes, I had it in my mind."

Continuing witness said "He never presented me with a ring, although he spoke to me about it in August at the beach. I was expecting a ring as he told me he was going to give it to me. My sister and I went to his house one night and my sister spoke about a little ring on my finger. Then when we were going home, I spoke about my sister's remarks, and he said: 'I must get you the ring that I promised you. When I get it. I'll get one like it for myself, for it is going to be a good one.'"

"Mr. Riley suggested that we go to Lynn beach for he wanted me to spend my vacation at the same beach where he was. We went there and we paid our own expenses.

Recess.

Miss Crane resuming the stand, testified in further cross-examination: Mr. Riley came home from Lynn a day before we did and I saw him the following Monday night. We were living in Pawtucketville then. On the occasion of my visit to Palmer with Mr. Riley, I went to Springfield with him on the return trip. It was designed to go to Palmer and then to Springfield. I made no suggestion to go to Springfield first that I can remember. He said that if Miss Maguire was at Palmer, she could accompany us to Springfield.

"I don't remember that Mr. Riley said: 'I never do anything deliberately that might get me into trouble,' with reference to the trip to Springfield.

"In his letter he signed himself 'Your own Mr. Riley,' and then put under it 'Park Riley'".

In response to a question witness said that she took no notice of the formality of the signature. "I received several letters from him" said the witness, "but I destroyed them all because the folks at the house used to bother me about them.

"Were they rowing with love?" asked Mayor Crowley.

"Yes, sir," responded Miss Crane.

"Would they read your letters?"

"Yes, they would. I don't think they ever opened my letters before I did, but we used to read each others' letters. The letter which was lost in the moving was received by me in Palmer. I didn't move for five months afterward. I kept it that long because it was in my trunk. I can't give any reason why I kept that particular letter and destroyed the rest.

"He called on me one evening when he was in Lynn and I was out. He asked me afterward why I wasn't home and I told him. Then he said: "All the people on the street saw me call and will give me the laugh. I'll hear of it in Manchester next week."

When I explained he seemed satisfied with the explanation.

"In September I chided him for not visiting me as often as he had done before that time. Then he told me that we could not get married then as his business was upset and he would have to stay at his office and attend to his business.

Noon recess.

KELLEY HELD

IN $1500 FOR SUPERIOR COURT ON CHARGE OF RAPE.

Francis J. Kelley, charged with rape the complainant being Mrs. Mary Lemay, had probable cause found against him and was ordered in $1500 for his appearance before the superior court. The crime was said to have been committed on April 28 in Room 8 of the Wentworth building. Kelly was represented by Daniel J. Donohoe, Esq., and Deputy Moffat represented the government.

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AGUINALDO'S HAND

Shown By The Two Filipino Envoys

They Tell Otis That Their Leader Knows He Will be Overpowered and Therefore Wants "Peace With Dignity."

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 3.—The Filipino envoys, Major Arguelles and Lieut. Jose Bernal, have abandoned the pretense under which they came to General Otis that they represented General Antonio Luna and today they announced that they came as representatives of Aguinaldo himself. The two emissaries used their wiles to secure a reply from General Otis to the letter from Senor Habini, Aguinaldo's prime minister of foreign affairs in the dictators' cabinet, which they presented to Gen. Otis, who refused to make any reply on the ground that to do so would be equivalent to a recognition of the so-called government of the Filipinos. Major Arguelles said that Aguinaldo knew he would be overpowered in time but that he would be able to continue the fight for months and that he would do so unless he were given what Major Arguelles termed peace with dignity.

Mr. Schurman, president of the United States Philippine commission, expresses the opinion that the interviews accorded by General Otis to the Filipino envoys will have a good moral effect, as tending to convince Aguinaldo's representatives that the American authorities mean to give the Filipinos a good government and not one of the Spanish sort.

BIG FIRE

IN A PHILADELPHIA CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—A fire of unknown origin today destroyed Charles Buchanich's clothing store, and before the flames were subdued about 15 buildings, principally small dwellings in the vicinity were badly damaged. The entire loss is estimated at $150,000, covered by insurance. The store burned like paper, and some of the employes escaped with difficulty.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—Forecast for Boston and Vicinity.—Fair tonight and Thursday; continued cool; northeast winds.

AN INQUEST HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 3.—The inquest over the remains of the two women, Mrs. Hickman and Mrs. Hassel, brought out little to add to the story of the tragedy, save in the testimony of Mr. Hassell, the estranged husband of the murderess. He stated that in London when his wife was Miss Virginie Rieck, she formed the same sort of attachment for a young woman as she did here for Mrs. Hickman.

The jury found that Mrs. Hassell shot and killed Mrs. Hickman as she slept, and then sent a bullet into her own brain.

THE JURY DISAGREED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The jury in the case of Theodore G. Willis, former city works commissioner, and B. Phillipps, ex-police commissioner of Brooklyn, on trial for conspiracy, after having been out for seventeen and a half hours, reported today that they could not agree on a verdict. They were discharged by the court. The jury stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

BRIG.-GEN. ANDERSON ASSIGNED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

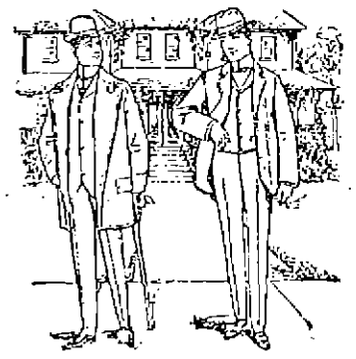
WASHINGTON, May 3.—Brigadier-General Thomas M. Anderson, who has returned recently from the Philippines, has been assigned to command of the Department of the Lakes.

MRS. HALL INSTANTLY KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—Mrs. Ellen Hall of this city was instantly killed today by falling down stairs. Her neck was broken. She was 35 years old, and was visiting relatives here.

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THE SUN EXTRA

ANNUAL REUNION

Of the Thirty-Third Massachusetts' Volunteers

HELD IN LOWELL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

An Interesting Letter Read From Captain Sladen.

The annual reunion of Company A, Thirty-third Massachusetts Volunteers, was held yesterday afternoon in this city. A bountiful dinner was served in D. L. Page's dining room, 17 persons being present, including the ladies. The members of Company A present were President S. C. Smiley, Capt. Charles H. Kimball, Harry Meserve, John McQuesten, John R. Lowell, Jerome B. Brown, C. H. Coburn, Dr. Samuel Lawrence, Dudley L. Page and Henry Hope of Lowell; Jas. H. Smith of Lawrence, John Stone of Andover and Erastus A. Bartlett of Chelmsford. At the conclusion of the dinner, adjournment was taken to Post 120 hall where the annual business meeting was held. President Smiley in the chair. Mr. Smiley was re-elected president by acclamation and Henry Hope and Erastus A. Bartlett were by a similar vote. Comrade Stacey, the retiring secretary is in ill health and was unable to be present.

A letter of regret from Capt. Joseph A. Sladen, U. S. A., retired, father of Lieutenant Sladen of this city, now in the Philippines, whose portrait recently appeared in The Sun, was read and furnished considerable interest and amusement to the members. It may be stated here that Captain Sladen was the first man to organize a military company in the Lowell High school.

LAWRENCE NEWS

OPERATIVE WAS ARRESTED FOR STEALING 400 YARDS OF CLOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—Mary Roleau, an employe of the Everett mills was arrested today by Corporation Detective Batchelder for alleged larceny. At her home at 59 Oak street, nearly 400 yards of cloth, alleged to have been stolen from the mills was recovered. It consisted of drilling, dress goods and cotton cloth, some of which was made into shirts and other apparel. The woman has been an employe of the Everett weave room about two years.

PROPERTY IDENTIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—More than $1000 worth of dry goods found in the possession of Annie Jopp, Louise Erbe and Amelia Hoffman, the three women who are charged with shoplifting were identified this afternoon by various dealers in this city. The goods were displayed in the police station and were viewed by the proprietors of ten stores and their clerks. All found something which had been stolen from them. The property included furs, silks, tablecloths, balls of yarn, spools of thread, combs and gloves.

FUNERALS.

GRAY—The funeral of Winnifred Gray took place from the home of her sister, Mrs. Callahan, 300 Thorndike street this morning. The remains were borne to the Sacred Heart church where a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McRory, O. M. I. Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan sang the Pie Jesu at the offertory and Mr. Andrew Haley sustained the solo in the libera. Miss Sullivan sang the hymn, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" as the remains were borne from the church. The bearers were: John Fahey, William Sullivan, Richard Bray and Edward Jennings. Among the floral offerings were a large pillow inscribed "Auntie" from the family; bunch of lilies, from friends; spray of white pinks, and other tributes also from friends. The funeral was largely attended and Undertaker Davey had charge of arrangements. Rev. Fr. McRory officiated at the grave.

BLAZE IN UNION STATION.

Box 445 at 8.20 o'clock Monday evening called the firemen to a very lively blaze in the inward baggage room of the Union station on Washington street, Boston. The fire is supposed to have originated from a cross wire in the Western Union cable house, in the upper part of the baggage room. It travelled with great rapidity along a hanging balcony, on which a quantity of baggage was stored and a large number of trunks and sample cases were badly damaged. The loss to baggage, wires and building will probably reach $1000.

MRS. ANTHONY ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 3.—The National American Women's Suffrage association yesterday elected Susan B. Anthony president; the Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, vice president; Rachel F. Avery, corresponding secretary; Alice Stone Blackwell, recording secretary; Harriet T. Upton, treasurer; Carrie C. Catt, chairman of the committee on organization, and Laura Clay and Catherine W. Taylor, auditors.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW LONDON, Conn., May 3.—The body of a man, supposed to be John Roland of Long Island city, from papers found on his clothing was found near the west bound track of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Niantic this morning. He is supposed to have been struck and killed by a train while walking on the tracks during the night.

THE SUN LATEST!

5 O'CLOCK

NO PEACE TERMS YET

Although Another Conference Has Been Held With Otis

Now the Filipino Envoys Want an Armistice of Three Months—Gen. Otis Will Not Recognize Local Government.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 3 (12.10 p. m.)—There was a conference lasting two hours today between Major General E. S. Otis and the envoys who came here from General Antonio Luna bearing a proposal for a cessation of hostilities. General Otis adhered to his refusal to recognize the so-called government of the insurgents. The Filipinos now ask for a truce of three months to enable Aguinaldo to summon the congress and consult with the insurgent leaders on the other islands. The envoys admitted the contention of General Otis that Aguinaldo has little control over affairs outside of the island of Luzon. The question of the release of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos being mentioned, Major Manuel Arguelles, the chief member of the deputation, said that he considered them as being in the same category with the Americans, the United States being the successor of Spain in its dominion over the island and acquiring by treaty all Spanish rights and obligations. After the close of the conference with General Otis, the Filipino envoys had a consultation with the United States Philippine commissioners.

TWENTY ROUNDS

Fought By Peter Maher And Ruhlin

A DESPERATE BATTLE FOR VICTORY

But Neither Was Able to Get Decision.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Peter Maher fought his longest and best battle when he met Gus Ruhlin at the Lenox Athletic club last night. The bout lasted 20 rounds, and 6000 persons witnessed it, Maher being the odds-on favorite at 100 to 6. The referee decided it a draw.

Maher weighed 181 pounds and Ruhlin 190.

In the first round Ruhlin landed a right smash on Maher which almost closed one of the latter's eyes. A hard right on the body sent Ruhlin to the floor. Peter later smashed a hard right to Ruhlin's right eye, making it bleed.

In the second round Ruhlin had all the better of it. In the third round Maher outpointed his man on leads, and sent in damaging blows on wind and head Ruhlin was on the defensive. The fourth and fifth rounds were uneventful

Maher forced the fighting in the sixth round, but Ruhlin fought back cleverly. Both of Maher's eyes were "bunged up" when he toed the mark for the seventh round, during which little was done.

In the eighth Ruhlin sent a hard left to Peter's left eye, drawing the blood, and the Irishman went back with both hands, swinging on neck and body. A straight left to the jaw from Ruhlin in the ninth round staggered Maher, although he exchanged rapid blows on the body.

Ruhlin's eyes were in mourning when he came up for the tenth round, and Peter sent lefts and rights to them in quick succession. Gus landed on body and head effectively. He sent a straight left jab to the face in the 11th round and another to the mouth, making the Irishman stagger

Ruhlin forced the pace in the 12th round. In the next he was much the stronger, but he was careful. Maher had the call at the bell. A right swing on the face in the 14th round from Ruhlin almost put Maher through the ropes, but the Irishman came back without a falter.

Maher had all the better of the 15th round. In the 16th the pace was evidently having a serious effect on each, but Maher at the close was the fresher.

Ruhlin was too slow in the 17th round and Maher sent the blood flying from his nose and mouth with lefts and rights. Hard work on both sides was the condition of affairs in the 18th round. In the 19th, Ruhlin ducked into the left hand hook, which made his left eye bleed. Maher whipped in two left uppercuts on the body and sent in two clean lefts on the body.

In the 20th round, Ruhlin landed a right on the head and Maher countered on the stomach and later on the wind. Ruhlin stood off Maher's rushes and the referee, Charlie White, decided the bout a draw.

In the first preliminary, Bob Gormully of New York made Jack Lawson the Terrible Swede of this city, quit in the second round of an encounter at 121 pounds and in the next bout Gormully defeated Harry Stiles, colored, also of this city, putting the negro to sleep in the fourth round with a right-hand punch on the jaw.

POLICE COURT

THE GALLAGHER HOUSE LIQUOR CASE CONTINUED.

The liquor case of Robert C. Gallagher of the Gallagher house was called in court today. The defendant was represented by John W. McEvoy, Esq., as counsel who asked for a continuance for one week which was granted. This is the case where lager beer and whiskey was found in the Gallagher house on Saturday evening last by Lieutenant Brosnan, Palmer, Sergeant Downey, Officers Atkinson and Holland.

Margaret Horne, drunkenness, was sentenced six months to the workhouse.

Joseph Bruce, drunkenness, was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed but afterwards withdrew his appeal.

Of the simple drunks, two were released by court and one was fined $1.

A LOWELL BOY

TO BE HEAD ENGINEER UNDER DEWEY.

George E. Richardson, son of Agent Richardson of the Lancaster mills, Clinton, and former agent of the Appleton mills of this city, left yesterday for New York, whence he sails for Manila to accept the position of head engineer under Admiral Dewey.

Last week Agent Richardson and his son stopped in Washington to see Assistant Secretary of the Navy C. H. Allen, an old friend. It was then learned that the position was vacant, and young Mr. Richardson was invited to take the examination. He did so, and came out with flying colors. He hurried to his home in Clinton to make speedy arrangements to leave at once.

Young Mr. Richardson is very popular in society, and his departure will be generally regretted. He has held the position of head engineer at Lancaster Gingham mills for the last two years. He was tendered a farewell reception in Clinton by his male friends last evening, all wishing him prosperity, but expressing regret at his departure for new fields.

He was in this city Monday bidding his friends goodbye.

HENRY B. HYDE

A PIONEER INSURANCE MAN PASSES AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Henry B. Hyde, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, died at his home here yesterday. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure. He had been suffering for more than a year with inflammatory rheumatism, which left him with an affection of the heart. Yesterday he was seized with an alarming attack, which grew continuously worse until this afternoon.

He was a pioneer in the insurance business, having been identified with the concern for forty years.

HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the High street church Women's Home Missionary society was held at the home of the pastor, Rev. C. W. Huntington, last evening, a number of ladies being in attendance. After the reading of reports, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. W. Huntington; vice president, Mrs. W. H. White; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Hendngway; treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Marden, supervisor of the work; Mrs. L. J. Hastings. The mite boxes were opened, resulting in an addition to the treasury of $35, with a large number of the boxes yet to be heard from. Light refreshments were served.

NINE HOUR DAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—The street committee of city council voted last night to extend the nine-hour day to the drivers of the street sprinkling carts. As these men are paid by the hour, there has never been any objection on their part to overtime work, but the recent investigation by the district police regarding the nine-hour law has aroused the city fathers to action. Hereafter no employes of the city will be allowed to work more than nine hours a day.

Eye-sight by Absorption. Dr. Taylor.

DOLL PIANOS

216 Merrimack St.

SAM ORR, Representative.

Eye-sight by Absorption. Dr. Taylor.

CITY COMMITTEE

Fixes May 18 as Date for Caucuses.

THE MEMBERS WILL BE DELEGATES

To a Nominating Convention to be Held Later.

The executive committee of the democratic city committee met last night in the office of Chairman J. Joseph O'Connor.

The object of last evening's meeting was to arrange for the election of the members of the city committee. Thursday May 18, was named as the date.

Then it was suggested that the delegates elected to the city committee at that time serve as delegates to a municipal convention to be held in the fall to nominate candidates for mayor, chief of department of supplies and nine aldermen. After a little discussion this developed into a motion and went through without any extensive opposition. The delegates will be unpledged.

It was further voted that each candidate for membership on the city committee be assessed $5.

BIG VICTORY WON

The Democrats of Baltimore Sweep the City

WITH A MAJORITY OF 9000.

Mayor Hayes Elected Over Republican Incumbent.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 3—Thomas G. Hayes, democrat was elected Mayor of this city today by nearly 9000 majority over William T. Malster, republican, the present incumbent.

His running mates, Skipwith Wilmer, for president of the second branch of the city council and James Smith, for comptroller were elected practically by the same figures.

In addition to these candidates-at-large, the democrats elected all of their candidates for the second branch of the city council and 18 of the 24 members of the first branch.

Today's election is the first under the charter for Baltimore city adopted by the Legislature last year. Under its provisions the municipal elections are held in May, so as to divorce municipal politics from state and national issues. It also changes the term of of mayor from 2 to 4 years. All of the candidates elected today will assume the offices next November.

There are several theories advanced by the Republican leaders and others to account for the surprising result of today's contest, but the one most generally accepted is that those Republicans who do not indorse the Malster administration, instead of staying away from the poles voted the straight Democratic ticket. The city is wild with excitement tonight, but the best of feeling prevails.

SAMPSON'S FLEET

ARRIVED AT NEW YORK AFTER A LONG CRUISE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3—The North Atlantic squadron under command of Rear Admiral Sampson arrived yesterday from an extensive cruise in the West Indies and along the Spanish main. The vessels are the cruiser New York, flying the flag of Rear Admiral Sampson and commanded by Capt. Chadwick, cruiser Brooklyn, Capt. Cook, Battleship Indiana, Capt. Taylor, battleship Massachusetts, Captain Ludlow and battleship Texas Capt. Sigsbee.

To the health officer the fleet surgeon reported all well and the fleet proceeded to the naval anchorage off Thompkinsville.

WOMAN MISSING

BUT HER TRUNK HAS ARRIVED HERE.

Manore Makileolleo, a Portuguese woman 65 years old, left New York city on Saturday for Lowell and her non-arrival in this city causes worry among her friends. Her trunk reached the Lowell depot Monday but nothing was heard of its owner. Yesterday several persons of Portuguese nationality called at the police station to report the matter to the superintendent. A telegram received just before noon, however, indicated the woman's arrival in Fall River, where she took the first train for Lowell.

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MEN'S

$1 SHOES

Not the ordinary quality of Shoes that is offered at the above price—But a superior grade at an uncommon y low figure. Call and see them.

J. J. LONERGAN,

215 DUTTON ST.

FOGGY WEATHER

Three Schooners Were Driven Ashore

THE HELENA DASHED ON THE ROCKS.

The Life Savers Rescued the Several Crews.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., May 3.—As the result of foggy weather and a brisk northeasterly gale three schooners are ashore on Cape Cod this morning. The large New Haven three-masted schooner Alice B. Phillips went ashore at 2 o'clock near Race Point. The schooner Robert Byron is on the beach at Crow Hill, just west of the Race Point life saving station. The schooners are well up on the beach. The crews were landed in safety.

The three-masted schooner Helena from a Maine port for the south with a cargo of fish scraps, struck on Peaked Hill bars during the night. The crew was saved. The Helena lies in a bad position, especially as the gale and sea were increasing early in the morning. The life savers of the Race Point and Peaked Hill bars stations went to the scene of the wrecks soon after the vessels struck.

BOARD OF HEALTH

TALKS SOME MORE ABOUT THE GARBAGE CONTRACT.

The board of health held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon. Dr. Packer spoke of the order of the board requiring the immediate interment of the body of Engineer Ruckledge, Monday. He said Ruckledge died of typhoid fever and the body was sent from Santiago. It was in an hermetically sealed casket. But outside was a pine box. Other bodies were ordered by the government taken to Arlington and ordered not to be opened until winter. This was for the benefit of Mr. Fifield who was not present at the suddenly called special meeting of Monday, at which Dr. Packer said only Undertaker Weinbeck and Arthur Salmon were present.

The day was a very hot one and the body was ordered interred for sanitary reasons. The great wonder was that the government allowed the body to be sent at all. Mr. Salmon, the doctor said, expressed surprise that the body was sent at all.

After approving the monthly bills the following undertakers' licenses were granted: Joseph Albert, Amedee Archambault, James W. Brooks, J. H. Currier, Peter Davey, J. H. McDermott, C. H. Molloy, James F. O'Donnell, Edward J. O'Donnell, William Renaud & Co., John F. Rogers, Peter H. Savage, John A. Weinbeck, Charles M. Young & Co., Wm. W. Clark and Dennis J. Maher.

Then followed a conference relative to the garbage contract. City Solicitor Qua said the board should authorize Dr. Packer as chairman to sign the contract; that would be for the city. Then comes the question whether the mayor shouldn't sign, also. There is a conflict between the statute of 1889 and the later charter of the city. Mr. Qua did not assume to decide the matter, but suggested that the thing for the parties interested to say is whether it is not better to be on the safe side. He would not say that a contract signed by the board alone would not be binding. But as there is a legal doubt, which only the supreme court can decide, the safe course is the better one. On the whole, the city solicitor said it would be dangerous to make a five-year contract without the approval of the mayor.

Mr. Gilkyson said he is willing to take his chances with a contract signed by the board of health.

Mr. Fifield said the board of health has power to grant the contract.

Mr. Mulligan suggested that the board of health has no power to compel the mayor to sign a contract, but the city solicitor's advice relative to such a contract should be heeded. It is for the company to decide if they want to take chances on the legality of the contract without the mayor's approval.

Mr. Qua promised to have the contract ready for today.

FELL FROM A TRAIN.

John Hartin, 35 years old, claiming a residence in Lawrence, Monday evening left Boston on the 5.35 o'clock train for this city. He was riding on the rear platform of the last car, and fell as the train was passing over the Austin street crossing in Charlestown. His right leg was cut off below the knee, and he was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

MATRIMONIAL.

THIBODEAU—REMILLARD.

Mederic Thibodeau and Miss Corinne Remillard was united in marriage yesterday at the Oblate Fathers' residence on Merrimack street. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., performed the ceremony. Miss Narcisse Denault was bridesmaid and Mr. Gustave Bourgeois, best man.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff, will sell at public auction at sheriff's sale, Friday, May 5, 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at store of Smith & Dunn, No. 330 Market street all the personal property contained in said store consisting of bar fixtures, beer pumps, cash register, glasses, etc. Terms cash.

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Has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Praised by thousands of satisfied ladies as safe, always reliable and without an equal. Ask druggist for Dr. Martel's French Female Pills in metal box with French Flag on top in Blue, White and Red. Insist on having the genuine. "Relief for Women," mailed FREE in plain sealed letter with testimonials and particulars. Address, FRENCH DRUG CO., 381 and 383 Pearl St., N.Y.

A $30,000 SCHOOL

Recommended by Committee on Education

FOR ADDITION TO HIGH SCHOOL.

The Location is on Paige Street.

The committee on education last evening voted unanimously to recommend $30,000 for a new High school at the corner of Paige and John streets. Alderman Taylor presided and the session was a brief one.

The only business was to take action upon the petition of the school board for increased accommodations for the High school.

After a brief discussion the vote was taken as above and the wish was expressed that a larger school building could be built but the conditions are not such as to allow it. Under the circumstances the plan proposed was considered the most feasible.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

TO INAUGURATE GRAND CLEARANCE SALE.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at their store on Central street. The sale will include the entire stock of black and colored dress goods and domestics. If you want dress goods, wash goods, domestics, table linens, sheetings, at special mark down prices don't miss this sale for the rest of the week.

DAVIS BRIBERY TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DOVER, Del., May 3.—The trial of Representative Mark L. Davis charged with offering Francis H. Latomus, a fellow member, a bribe to vote for John Edwards Addicks for United States senator, began yesterday. Mr. Latomus testified as to a conversation between him and Davis during which the defendant agreed to lift a mortgage from the witness' farm in return for his vote by Mr. Addicks.

Davis denied the story told by Latomus.

Gilbert S. Jones, a reporter, said that Representative Latomus had declared that he had not been approached with offers of a bribe for his vote for senator.

The case was quickly argued and at 1.15 o'clock was given to the jury.

DEATHS.

ALDRICH—Warren Aldrich, aged 89 years, 9 months and 22 days, died this morning at his late home, 243 Appleton street.

McSHEA—Margaret McShea, aged 63 years, 3 months, died this morning at 31 Lagrange street. She was an old resident of Lowell having resided here about fifty years and was a highly esteemed member of St. Patrick's parish. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Edward McShea, and a daughter, Annie McShea; one brother, Richard, of Concord, N. H., and two sisters, Mrs. Ash of Bethlehem, N. H. and Mrs. Hannah Condon of Lowell. Funeral Friday afternoon.

JALBERT—John Jalbert the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper J. Jalbert died Monday at his parents' home on Grafton street, Worcester, of meningitis. The boy attended the Grafton street school. The funeral was held at the residence today at 8.15 o'clock and a requiem high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Stephen's church in Worcester. The burial was in Lowell.

WARDWELL—Mrs. Jennie A. Wardwell wife of Nelson H. B. Wardwell died at her home, 88 Cambridge street yesterday, aged 61 years, 3 months and 2 days.

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That's an advantage to begin with, to say nothing of the wide price difference in your favor between ours and the tailors.

$8.00 Business Suits

25 patterns, perhaps more, these in fancy all-wool worsteds, cheviots, serges and cassimeres—no Lowell clothing stock shows so many distinctly new things at a price so economical.

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The best makers have put in these suits a shapeliness that's permanent, linings that wear as long as the cloth and style beyond the reach of criticism. You'll have to search the $11.65, $16.85, $18.95 and $22.45 stocks elsewhere to match these.

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Vose & Sons 7 octave Square, handsome rosewood case, for $40.

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For Boston, 5.45, 6.25, *6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.15, *9.42, 11 a m; 1.40, *3.00, 4.25, *5.41 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.48, 6.28, 6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.25, 7.30, *7.45, w*8.15, *8.57, *9.10, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50 11.03, *11.42 a m; w12.05, 12.10, w12.45, 1.10, w2.30, w*3.08, 3.10, *3.17, w4.05, 4.25, w5.10, 5.20, *5.43, w*6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.40, w9.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 7.00, 7.33, w8.15, 8.48, 9.10, a m, w12.05, w1.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.59, w7.25 p m.

For Lawrence, 6.29, w6.50 z7.33, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, w2.30, w3.10, w4.05, 4.10, w5.10, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, w9.15 a m, w12.05, w5.30, w7.25 p m.

For Salem, Mass, w8.25, 7.33 a m; w12.05, 1.23, w5.11, 5.53 p m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.03, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.30, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, (11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.23 a m; 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p m.

For Exeter and Dover 6.23, 6.50, z7.53, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10, 4.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m

For Somersworth, N H, Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 6.28, 8.30, z7.53, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 6.30 p m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p m.

For Bangor, Belfast Skowhegan and Rockland 8.30 a m; 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For St John's, N B, Halifax, N S, 6.10 p m (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinue for the season.

For stations on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 6.30 a. m. 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.30, *7.45, 11.03 a m; 1.13 4.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a m; 4.25, 5.59 p m.

For Ayer Junction and Way-Stations—7.10 a m; 12.00, 6.01 and 6.42 p m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12 a m; 1.00, 3.11, 6.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 6.41 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7.40 9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 6.27, *6.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.09 a m (to Nashua only), 2.05 a m; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, 8.40 p m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *1.40, (to Franklin only) 5.40, †8.40 p m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 1.40 p m.

For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9.40 a m; *1.40, *†8.40 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *†8.40 p m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—*9.40 a m; †*8.40 p m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrook—9.40 a. m., †*8.40 p. m.

References: *Express; †Daily. w Via Western Division. ‡Wednesdays and Saturdays only ¶ Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.

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REJOICING HEARD

Communications From Citizens on No-License.

THE POLICE BOARD GETS DUE CREDIT

And So Does the Sun for its Noble Fight.

The rejoicing with which the no-license era has been ushered in is being voiced by prominent citizens in communications, a few of which are given below. Lack of space prevents the publication of several others. The first is from that old-time friend and worker for no-license, Mr A. Nichols.

To the Editor of the Lowell Sun.
Sir:

After many years of hard work our efforts were crowned with success at the ballot box in December last in carrying this city for no-license and on May 1st, this law went into force with very much better prospects of success than the no-license year of 1890. I think great praise is due to the commissioners for granting no druggists licenses and they should have the thanks of the citizens of Lowell for the step taken. But no law upon our statute book will enforce itself and all lovers of good order should do their part in seeing that they are sustained in their efforts to enforce the same. We must expect that this year is going to bring an end forever to this nefarious traffic. The rum powers will die hard and this year a great struggle for license for 1900 will be made. So at the commencement let us prepare for the battle and keep up the fight for God and home and native land.

I think great credit is due to the Lowell Sun in the noble stand it took in this matter, while the other papers of the city stood out for license. The Sun used its columns freely in the "No" cause and deserves the thanks of the citizens generally for its magnificent campaign against the rumocracy and for its efforts to uplift those who for years have been the slaves and the victims of rum.

We are told that there was but the usual number of arrests on Saturday night, but this is no criterion of the drunks in our own city for if all had been arrested who were found in a state of intoxication on that night it would have required a good many police stations to hold them.

No doubt a good many clerks will be short of a job in this line for this year, but they are not all, that is out of employment in this city. The rumsellers could find them work by sending them into the homes of their customers to gather up the rags their traffic made during the year past. So if they had to keep their own paupers there would not be so many in the trade. And if any one refused then surely they ought to be made. Let us be up and doing during the year. Truth is mighty and will prevail. So that for many years to come no rum shops will be open to entice the young men in our city into its danger and may God defend the right.

Yours Respectfully,
A. NICHOLS.

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE LIQUOR DEALERS.

The voice of the people must prevail. At their bidding social disorders and social dangers must cease. When they intelligently exercise the right of suffrage, the right of freedom, all corruption and rot in whatever branch it exists must disappear and make way for a more wholesome one, moral order.

Saturday night witnessed the closing of the barrooms, the happy suppression of the great liquor traffic in our municipality for at least one year. Would that it were more! Today if we take a stroll through the various streets we find that all the haunts are barricaded; and the only memento left to us is the smell that still seems to linger. The saloon keepers are demoralized; those men who have lived luxuriously on blood money and drank the milk which was to nourish the suckling babe, are now sore at heart.

They seem to think that the world is against them. They imagine that they are tasting sorrow to its very depth. But alas! The hearts of the conscienceless voters who caused their downfall, of the widow and the orphan beat with joy and exultation, and why not? They scored a social triumph they have found a panacea, a positive cure for this chronic social disease.

The liquor men are already foreboding a period of hard times, of business depression and paralyzed labor. But for whom? Inevitably for no one but themselves. They have been forced into the stream and must either sink or swim. Intelligent and honest people divine an era fraught with happiness and prosperity, for such a revolution as this can bring naught but the most beneficial results. The frown of poverty will be relieved by the smile of plenty. The people will have more money and consequently more of the comforts and luxuries of life. Their hard-earned cash instead of filling the coffers of the rum sellers will be registered to their bank account or at least more judiciously expended. The grocers, butchers, milkmen and others who have long been victimized for the benefit of the gin mill will enjoy a more lucrative business and find a more constant return for every outlay. In short a general boom in business will ensue for money, instead of being concentrated in the hands of a few wholesale dealers who practically control many of the saloons will find a more general circulation. This signifies a great deal when we consider that at least $700,000 is expended annually in the purchase of liquor in the city of Lowell.

Some sympathizers intrenching themselves with arguments based on the bitter experience of a former no-license year, are predicting a period in which low dens, speak-easies, houses of assignation, etc., will flourish and immorality and licentiousness run wantonly; but they will be doomed to disappointment. The mayor will strain every effort and is determined that the will of the people must be enforced. Backed by the police department in which every officer has practically become an excise officer, the miasma will be checked and the atmosphere become purer and healthier. Saturday night the joyous peal of the 11 o'clock bells, sounding the death knell of rumocracy, had scarcely died away when one rendezvous was raided. This but reflects in a small measure the strong determination of the police to crush the evil ere it gathers growth. One question looms up strikingly before us: What are the plans of the liquor men for the future. Beyond the peradventure of a doubt, the wholesalers who have been bleeding the people for years will recline supinely on their backs, awaiting the dawn of a brighter era: their families can still live in supreme comfort and preserve their highly independent air. Others may launch forth into new enterprises, or return to their former field of labor; but for the sake of the community and for their own self-respect let us not behold an army of idlers and loafers, a despicable thing in any municipality. Idle saloon keepers and bartenders would be targets at which everybody would shoot; they would be the victims of critic, carp and cynic sneer. They would be the butt for everybody's joke and laughter. Let them go to work! put their shoulder to the wheel, and earn their bread like honest men.

J. F. M., Worthen St.

FLORA E. STACEY LODGE INSTALLED OFFICERS LAST EVENING.

Flora E. Stacey lodge, I.O.G.T., met at Post 120 hall last night and D. G. C. T. Robert Mountford installed the following officers: C. H. McCullough, chief templar; Maggie McPhee, vice chief templar; John Hamilton, financial secretary; Mr. Marshall, treasurer; Mabel Hunton, recording secretary; John Morrison, marshal; Ida Hill, guard; May Hunton, chaplain. A committee was appointed to look for new quarters and to report at the next regular meeting. The regular good of the order was enjoyed after the meeting.

BOXING GOSSIP.

George E. Gardner of this city and John E. Butler of Lynn will box 10 rounds Tuesday evening next before the Nutone Athletic club of this city. They will meet at 145 pounds. There will be two preliminary bouts, one of ten rounds between two Manchester boxers and the other between Billy Gardner and Prof. Gagnon, both of this city.

There is talk of a match being made between Billy Gardiner of this city and George Munroe, who fought two draws with "Teddy" McGovern the Brooklyn wonder.

MUSIC HALL.

The Ottowa Free Press, speaking of the performance given by Prof. Carpenter, the king of hypnotists, says one of the subjects under the spell of hypnotism was impressed with the idea that he had killed one of the subjects by electrocution and he wept like a child the tears trickling down his cheeks. He left the hall in search of a doctor and returned with Officer Graham, who was positive he had a murder case when the young man approached him with face bathed in tears and accompanied him to the hall where the audience yelled till it was deafening. The scene was realistic and it was impossible to be acted by any human being. Professor Carpenter will be at Music hall for one week commencing May 8.

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BROKE THE SPELL

Boston Won a Game From Baltimore

NICHOLS WAS IN THE BOX.

Result of the Other League Games.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BATIMORE, May 2.—The champion Bostons played up-to-date ball here this afternoon and broke the hoodoo spell that has hung over them for several days.

Charley Nichols was at his best and when forced sped the missile over the rubber like the rush of trolley lightning after the last night car. Bill Clarke caught in good form and was in the run-making with a full cargo of good luck. Three of the nine runs were scored by "Whoa, Bill," and yet every time around he gave one or more openings for a put out. He bore a charmed existence around the bases, to the delight of the Baltimore fans, who still have a tender spot for their old catcher.

But for a miscalculation by Lowe in the first inning, the orioles would have gone to the clubhouse shut out. Bobby ran for second as Sheckard hit to right field, when Long should have covered the base. After this the fielding of the Boston men was faultless and the hitting of the all-round variety; bunting, hit and run, and crack-her-out were mixed up in a way to mystify Miller, a young pitcher who had fine speed and did good work, with the exception of a poor throw. The fault of O'Brien to cover second and his wild throw to first gave Boston five of her nine runs and turned a pretty game into a one-sided affair.

The score by innings is as follows:

Innings ..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	—8
Baltimore ..	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Stolen bases—Sheckard, 2; Clarke. Two-base hits, O'Brien, Lachance. Sacrifice hit, Nichols. Double plays, Long, Lowe and Tenney; Sheckard and Lachance; Holmes and Lachance; Collins and Long. First on balls, off Miller, 3; off Nichols, 4. Hit by pitcher, Magoon. Struck out, by Nichols 3. Left on bases, Baltimore, 6, Boston, 3. Earned runs, Baltimore 2; Boston, 3. Umpires, Hunt and Connelly. Time, 1h. 45m. Attendance, 2370.

Pittsburg, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Louisville, 3; Cleveland, 2.
Cleveland, 9; Louisville, 5.
Brooklyn, 7; Washington, 0.
New York, 4; Philadelphia, 3.

EDWARD ATKINSON

Charged With Sending Circulars to Troops

CRITICISING THE PHILIPPINE POLICY.

Matter Discussed by the Cabinet.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The absentees from yesterday's cabinet meeting were secretaries Gage, Long, Alger and Wilson. One of the subjects of discussion was the circulars which were mailed to the troops at Manila, criticising the Philippine policy of the government and advising volunteers whose term of service is about to expire not to re-enlist. A member of the cabinet, in speaking of the matter, said that Edward Atkinson of Boston who is he of these circulars was unquestionably in the preparation and sending out of these circulars, was unquestionably guilty of assisting an insurrection against the authority of the United States, and was subject to a term of imprisonment or a heavy fine or both. The law, which, it is said, has been violated, is Section 5334 of the Revised Statutes, which is as follows:

"Every person who incites, sets on foot, assists or engages in any rebellion or insurrection against the authority of the United States, or the laws thereof, or gives aid or comfort thereto, shall be punished by imprisonment not more than 10 years, or by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or by both of such punishments; and shall moreover, be incapable of holding any office under the United States."

What action, if any shall be taken in the matter, has not been determined, but it is said that the government is disposed to regard the acts of Mr. Atkinson as those of a person without any proper conception of the gravity of the offense committed and the government may not at this time take action against Mr. Atkinson and his assistants.

The postmaster general stated at the cabinet meeting that he had ordered the circulars stopped at San Francisco.

Members of the administration regard Mr. Atkinson's alleged action as seditious and disgraceful and it is not improbable that if repeated, prompt and energetic action will be taken.

Parts of the report of the army beef commission was read at the meeting and matters relating to the Alaskan boundary question, was submitted.

The High school base ball team will leave for Haverhill this afternoon (the weather permitting) to play the Haverhill High. The local school team was the only team to defeat Haverhill High last season. The players for the Lowell High today will be as follows: Bence, c; Cronin, p; Murphy, 1b; Bagley, 2b; Seamnell, 3b; Drory, ss; Morrison, lf; Kearns cf; and Kinsella, rf

PAVING THE WAY.

How Every Democrat May Assist the 1900 Campaign Fund.

To insure Democratic victory next year it is necessary to help the cause with money. The Democratic party is nearest the hearts of the common people, pledged to and espousing their interests through good and evil report, always in the van of thought and action. Novel and pleasant is the latest plan adopted by the ways and means committee of the Democratic national committee to raise money for the antiplutocratic fight of 1900.

An ardent bimetallic firm of cigar manufacturers of Chicago, who have been in business for many years, made an offer a few days ago to divide the profits of their goods with the committee's treasury. Knowing the high character of the gentlemen comprising the firm and the established reputation of the goods they have put forth for many years, the committee accepted the offer, and the terms of the contract were stipulated with definiteness. Under the agreement two brands of cigars, to be known as the "Ways and Means" and the "Defense Fund," are being manufactured and will be put on the market at once. The former is a good 10 cent cigar and the "Defense Fund" a 5 cent cigar, both well made by union labor and guaranteed to run of even quality; so that any cigar is likely to be a fair sample of them all.

In this way the friends of the great cause can, without sacrifice of a fraction of a cent of good money's worth, aid the cause, for the manufacturers have made an out and out donation of 1 cent on each dime cigar sold and one-third of a cent on each nickel cigar disposed of. That this money actually goes into the treasury of the ways and means committee there is absolute guarantee, for the labels are countersigned in the office of the committee by two of its members, and the royalty is paid when the labels are delivered. All correspondence regarding these cigars should be mailed by dealers to C. H. Schneffer & Co., Chicago, in whose name the labels are issued and by whom the royalties are paid. Already there is a great rush of orders at the office of the firm, and they will be promptly filled.

The real power in the Republican party cares nothing for the fundamental principles of our civilization. The men who really dominate that organization have no conception of the real purposes of all government, but look upon it merely as an instrument for the advancement of their industrial interests. The president is too much of a politician and too willing a tool in the hands of this influence to take a bold stand for the people, for the preservation of liberty at home and its extension abroad.

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LOT 5—5 dozen black Mercerized Skirts, with flounce and corded ruffle; we have sold them up to date, $3.50, price on this lot,

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The streets have all been accepted by the city, have water, gas and sewerage in the new houses. The houses I built myself by day work, under the supervision of Francis T. Wilson, one of the most thorough and honest builders in Lowell. They have every modern convenience, including open plumbing, bath room, pantry, laundry, store room, cemented cellar, furnace, etc.; also eight exceedingly pleasant living rooms and large attic, are neat in architecture, attractive in finish, and the interior arrangement is of the most desirable character in its modern conception. There isn't in this splendid and healthy residential portion of Lowell a better plot of land—surroundings, outlook and lay of land considered—than my estate. The lots average 5000 square feet of land each, with a frontage of 50 feet. I can conscientiously say to you that there are no handsomer lots in old Ward Four. Edge stones and sidewalks already in before the houses.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Remember that sterilized milk if kept in a refrigerator is absolutely safe to give to the youngest infant if in good health.

Monday was a Dewey day in Lowell and yet some people thought it mighty dry as it ushered in the no-license year.

Lieut. Gilmore is reported safe, although held with ten others as prisoners by the Filipinos. May he be safely restored to his place under Dewey.

The Boston Herald is trotting out democratic candidates for governor in much the same style as an auctioneer would put a horse on exhibition.

The horse shoers are on strike for higher wages in Boston. Is there no charm for them in the old horse shoe that is said to bring such good luck to others?

There is talk of annexing Cuba. We supposed that the pledges of the United States that the Cubans would eventually be allowed to work out their own destiny, meant something.

Our former artist, Wilbur L. Dunkley, during the recent horse show at Boston, demonstrated once more that there is no other man in the country who can sketch horses so true to nature. His horse pictures in the Herald have become famous among horsemen.

SENATOR HOAR ON TRUSTS.

Senator Hoar, before departing for Europe, received the homage of the Bay State club at a banquet and in his after-dinner speech took occasion to refer to the howl of horror that went up at the recent lynching in Georgia and stated that while the mob had no right to lynch an individual, it is equally true that no nation has a right to lynch a whole people which is still more terrible. This much he said in reiteration of his position in opposition to the imperial policy, but it was but a prelude to his discourse, which was in opposition to the trusts and companies which are organized for the purpose of eliminating competition. His speech is among the first made by any republican against the oppressive combines which have resulted directly from the republican policy of high protection and centralization. On this question as well as upon the imperial policy, Senator Hoar is right in line with the leaders of the democratic party.

In discussing the trusts, Senator Hoar made clear the powers of the several states in restraining corporations so far as their business is local in each state and then he showed wherein the trusts came under the control of congress where the authority of the states cannot reach them. This latter power, he thought, could be exercised without danger to the rights of the people or of the individuals concerned.

Among his most important utterances were the following:

"Time and space have become annihilated. The manufacturer in Lowell has for his competitor and his business neighbor the manufacturer in Georgia, or in California or Indiana. Now, in any business of this kind—this business between two of the states or with foreign countries—the state is powerless.

"If it were not powerless you have the difficulty of 45 different state legislatures which must deal in concert in order to make your legislation effective. If you deny the Massachusetts charter to the corporation, the corporators go to New Jersey and get what they want without any difficulty; and in so far as this business, as I have said, is interstate or international business, the states have no restraining power, under the constitution, and the matter must be dealt with by congress.

"So you have for the same business two separate legislative powers—the national, so far as the manner of the corporation in dealing with interstate commerce is concerned and the state legislative power so far as relates to the business locally and at home.

"Now, while congress cannot make any provision constitutionally that shall control in the least the business of any manufacturer, whether alone or in combination with others, so far as it is carried on within the boundaries of his own state, congress may, in my judgment, impose such conditions as it shall see fit upon the carrying on of business by such combinations in interstate and international commerce, and one of those conditions may be that no business, with such exceptions as may seem reasonable like that of railroad transportation companies, the banks and some other companies of that kind—that no business shall be carried on between the different states or between the nation and foreign countries where the men who carry it on have the facility and privilege, the corporate powers, without individual liability, except in compliance with and in conformity with such conditions as the national legislative power shall prescribe."

While Senator Hoar is not a politician of the stripe whose chief aim is to construct a platform that will catch votes and having served its end, is thrown aside and forgotten, yet we venture to say that the platform of the republican party in the next presidential campaign will have an anti-trust plank framed on the lines laid down in Senator Hoar's address. The time has come when the trusts must be throttled by the people, or else they will go on robbing and defying the people as they are doing at the present time.

There is something consoling to parents in the thought that their son died fighting for his country. There is not a mother we know who lost a son in the war who has not been consoled by the thought that his life was given in a noble cause—with perhaps one exception wherein the mother claimed her boy was murdered by bad beef, lack of proper food and of medical attendance. The mothers who gave martyrs to the cause of humanity remind us of the Spartan mothers who preferred that their sons should return upon their shields, dead, than to lose them in battle.

All Belvidere regrets the removal of Officer Lane from the beat which he has so long patrolled. Mr. Lane had become so well acquainted with his beat that if an ill deed was done by anybody in the vicinity he could soon locate the culprit. He knew young and old. He paid particular attention to the condition of the streets on his beat and when he found dangerous places he reported them to the street department. This may not have been obligatory upon him, but it may have saved the city a number of lawsuits.

The shift in the police assignments will extend the acquaintanceship of the officers. It is possible that some of them may have been too well acquainted to be strict, but the new deal will overcome that.

It is a long time since there were so few drunks in court on a Monday as appeared there last Monday. The golden fruits of no-license are beginning to appear. Keep up the good work.

It looks as if Supt. Davis meant to enforce the no-license law. Let him get the credit of good intentions until he is found delinquent.

The hot weather is at hand, bearing danger to the babies. Keep them cool and give them nothing that will sicken them.

Let no decent young man have it said that he had to go to Lawrence for booze. Let him try the good effects of total abstinence.

Well, the dust got thoroughly laid Monday night. The watering carts can take a day off.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Springfield Republican.—The "treason" scare had a short run. All the prisons and jails in the United States wouldn't hold the "traitors."

Manchester Union—It is with unspeakable sadness that the republican leaders witness the donation for public libraries, of the Carnegie wealth, which, in former years was reserved for their corruption fund.

Charlestown News and Courier—The imperialists are playing for high stakes and rather than forego the realization of the visions of wealth and power that tempted them to the acquisition of the Philippines, there is no telling what crime they dare commit.

Philadelphia Record—The governor of California will not make out a commission for the United States senator whom he has appointed from that state in default of legislative choice until he shall have found out what the senate will do with the Quay case. He is more prudent than our governor. He shall not make a fool of himself unless he shall have senatorial warranty for so doing.

Washington Post—The negroes cannot afford to make common cause with such monsters as Hose. They must consider him solely as a criminal. And the whites must declare themselves equally against the savages who put Hose to death with such fiendish cruelties. One race will harm itself by regarding the dead man as a martyr. The other will disgrace itself by applauding the lynchers as instruments of justice. Both Hose and his murderers must be considered as social pests—as enemies of humanity and civilization.

Boston Advertiser—The effects of the heavy expenses of the war with Spain, and the passage of the "war revenue" law have lately been apparent in an increase of American prices, accompanied by a sudden and striking decrease in American exports and an increase in American imports. The "cost of conquest," has begun to tell a little on the United States, and to put a check to the tremendous capture of foreign markets by American goods. If the American policy makes it necessary to keep up these heavy taxes upon American industries, perhaps the British manufacturer may regain his lost markets. For that very reason, the growing American opposition to imperialism has caused a new alarm in England.

THE SEVEN LIQUOR INSPECTORS.



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CRISP GOSSIP.

Trout fishermen now hold sway.

Soon the small boy will go a-swimming.

Trees are rapidly putting out their leaves.

This is the kind of weather this people like.

Duck and crash outfits will soon be in order.

May parties are to be quite numerous this year.

Screens and screen doors are being brought out.

Reformed saloons can now be had at a material reduction in rent.

Split is the popular drink in Waltham under a no-license regime.

Girls are sharpening up their ice cream melters for the summer season.

Wanted—A good singer for a ball nine, one who can play base preferred.

Laconia had an earthquake at 12.21 Sunday noon. It was not felt here.

Is it not time an example were made of that modern pest and bully—the scorcher?

One of the Taunton club's pitchers is named Drinkwater and it is to be hoped that the others will follow his example.

During the month of April, 46 cars were run through the Boston & Maine paint shop at Concord, the largest number in any month since work was inaugurated.

A new firm of Barry and Fay begin in the vaudeville next Monday. They are Charles, a son of the original William Barry and Eddie Fay, a daughter of the late Hugh Fay.

Word on the road car at the Boston & Maine shops is being pushed to the limit. The car is of massive construction and when weighted for service it will, it is estimated, tip the scales at 50,000 pounds.

The North church, Concord, N. H., has voted with great unanimity to introduce the individual communion cups in their service. The choice as to the particular kind and style is left with the standing committee.

Many of Lowell's young men who are indulging in the new spring coats find that the brevity of the garments does not allow the under coattails to conceal themselves. As a result several have avoided the uncertainty of pins by having hooks and eyes fastened to the linings of their cutaways. When the spring coat is donned, the coat tails are hooked up and when the coat is removed, they are released, providing the wearer does not forget his scheme. That it is forgotten at times was made evident when an otherwise immaculately dressed young man swung gracefully up the aisle of one of the churches Sunday, amidst the smiles of the elders and the titters of the youths.

Massachusetts means to take advantage of experience gained during the war and in consequence the soldiers will learn to do their own cooking at future state camps. The idea is a good one for no soldier can know too much about taking care of himself in the field where chefs and nurses are not ready for a messenger call at any and all times.

A good many Lowellians will be in attendance at anniversary day exercises at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H., June 1. A number of Lowell young men have graduated from this seat of learning.

The trainmen of the Boston & Maine railroad have been informed by an order that they cannot carry packages on the train without paying express rates.

Some folks say it don't cost as much to keep a bicycle as it does a horse. But it costs $5 a month for some folks to keep a bicycle that is, if they want to keep it.

Women who take a spin on the bicycle are the kind who fight shy of the broom or the after-dinner dishes.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

At a meeting of the Mathews last night three candidates were initiated and six applications were accepted. It was voted to hold a picnic this summer and a committee was appointed to arrange and report later. It was also voted to tender a complimentary dance to the young lady friends of the society Wednesday evening, May 10th.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, had four initiations at its meeting last night.

The Burkes held the regular meeting last evening. Six candidates were initiated and four applications were accepted.

A committee from Spindle City circle Companions of the Forest, met last night and completed all arrangements for the May party which is to be held at Associate hall, May 12.

A delegation of local Foresters will go to Lawrence Friday evening to attend a May party to be held by Fanny Parnell circle, Companions of the Forest, of that city. The Lowell delegation will leave on a special car, which will leave the square at 7.30.

Lowell commandery, Knights of Malta, met last evening and conferred the scarlet degree on five candidates, besides accepting several applications for membership.

J. P. Maxfield circle, Ladies of the G.A.R. met in Post 185 hall last night. Memorial day orders were received from the department president but no definite action was taken. It was voted to hold a strawberry festival at the Paige street F. B. church, May 25 at 10.30 a. m.

Highland Union Rebekah lodge gave a complimentary banquet Monday night to Enterprise lodge of Reading. About 70 visitors were present, besides the officer of local lodges. Before the supper a meeting of the lodges was held to welcome the guests and afterwards selections by the Lancey quartette of Troubadours were followed by dancing. The Ladies' Lyceum orchestra furnished the music.

A new lodge of Good Templars will be instituted at Wigginville, Tuesday evening next, May 9, by District Chief Templar A. D. Oxley of Wakefield. It expected to start out with about 40 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Wheeler of Claire street are entertaining a young son.

MOCK TRIAL.

A mock trial for an umbrella was the attraction at the First Trinitarian Congregational church last evening. There was a large attendance and during the progress of the trial, some ludicrous and amusing situations were presented.

E. Lincoln Nowell will dance at Butler's annual May festival in Music Hall, Boston, May 5.

MOLINEUX CASE

MORE EVIDENCE IS BEING PREPARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Assistant District Attorney Blumenthal who is preparing the Molineux case for the grand jury had eleven witnesses at his office yesterday, including Harry Cornish, W. J. Kinsley, the handwriting expert and Harry C. King.

It was learned that a new letter had been found and sent to the district attorney and that, according to the claims, it shed new light on the case. The letter was written on the same tri-crescent blue paper at the "Barnet" and "Cornish" letters. The newest letter reads:

"Dear Sir—Inclosed please find 25 cents for which please send sample of remedy.

Yours respectfully,
—Roland Molineux, 6 Jersey St.

Expert Kinsley, who has seen this letter, has pronounced the handwriting to be Molineux's.

IN ARLINGTON

BODIES OF 252 SOLDIERS WERE INTERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The bodies of 252 soldier dead brought from battlefields of Cuba and Porto Rico by steamer Crook were interred at Arlington cemetery today with military honors. The ceremony was identical with that held on the occasion of the interment of the bodies brought by the Crook on her first trip about a month ago but neither the president nor the members of his cabinet were present today. Acting Secretary of War Meiklejohn as the representative of the war department and Major General Miles and his staff in full uniform were present. Col. Guenther of the Fourth artillery with two companies of the 4th and 5th artillery from the Washington barracks and the Fourth artillery band had charge of the funeral. The religious services were conducted by Chaplain Freeland of Fortress Monroe and Father Magee of this city.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

ENJOYABLE CANTATA PRESENTED BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The ladies of the Congregational church in North Chelmsford entertained a gathering in the town hall last night when "Jack and the Bean Stalk" was repeated. In the cast were: Robert B. Ripley, Ethel C. Ranger, Frank W. S. Daly, Esther A. Bearce, Arvilla H. Piggott, Robert B. Scribner, Anna C. Mackay, Marion E. Scribner, Katherine L. Sheldon, Stella C. Howard, Mary J. Browne, Ethel R. Wotton, Florence A. Bearce, Earl J. Wotton, Earl S. Lewis, Stewart Mackay, John C. Varney, Ada Crockett, F. Ethel Worley, Gladys E. Swain, Amelia B. Marinel, Florence Queen, Pearl A. Stevens, Blanche M. Wright, Minnie M. Crockett.

Chicken chorus—Bertha H. Piggott, Bessie E. Scribner, Ruth M. Scribner, Hazel L. Butterfield, Nellie L. Butterfield, Ethel M. Reno, Annie M. Ranger, Lillie H. Marinel, Ruth G. Wotton.

Baked Bean chorus—Stuart Mackay, Luther Hall, Earl S. Lewis, John C. Varney, Earl J. Wotton, George W. Ranger, Edward J. Sheldon, Paul A. Scribner, Harold J. Hackett, James A. Morning, Charles De Lahaye, Elias P. De Lahaye.

Quartette selections were sung by Mrs. Hubert Bearce, Miss Daisy Ripley, Mrs. C. F. Scribner and Mrs. Arthur F. Salmon. Encores were responded to. Little Miss Ranger sang a pleasing number and the Misses Marinel danced the sailors' hornpipe. There were other pleasing specialties and the people in the audience got their money's worth.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the First Presbyterian church last evening, the closing night of the fair and sale under the auspices of the church was very largely attended, but those present enjoyed the occasion with games and social converse.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

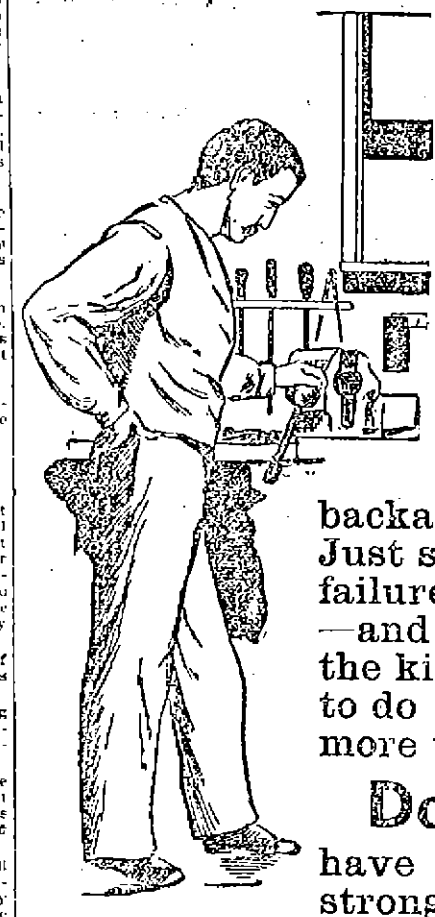
The fort of the body is the stomach. Disease can only enter through this gate.

Weakness Here Leads to Weakness All Over the Body.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will strengthen the stomach and thus cure indigestion, constipation, biliousness, malaria, and all kidney and liver troubles.

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE
Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. 50c. by druggists, everywhere. Month's treatment per box—six for $2.50.
DR. WILLIAMS' MFG. CO., Schenectady, N. Y.

A STITCH IN THE BACK



It's hard for a man to do his work well if he has a bad back—hard for him to work at all—But the work must be done,—bread must be earned, and so thousands of workers plod along, accepting the backache as a matter of course, and only realizing the seriousness of it when it gets so bad that they can't drag themselves about any longer. Yet it's all unnecessary—you know what backache is—Kidney ache, that's all—Just simply the natural result of the failure of the kidneys to do their duty—and the way to get rid of it is to set the kidneys right. Help the kidneys to do their duty and there'll be no more trouble with bad backs—

Doan's Kidney Pills

have been making weak kidneys strong for years. Doing it right here in Lowell. People you know say so. Read the following from a Lowell citizen:

Mr. G. S. Emerson of 512 Westford street endorses Doan's Kidney Pills as follows: He says: "I have been engaged in the grocery trade of Lowell for twenty years, and during the time I have done a lot of driving. This, if not the immediate cause of my trouble, certainly aggravated it. There was a very tender spot over the left kidney and frequent desire to urinate, dizziness, headache and constant backache. I read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing among sufferers in Lowell and resolved to try a box. I got it from Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and I was surprised with the immediate relief. I felt better after only a few doses, and continuing them I am today perfectly free of all the aches and pains and the credit is due to Doan's Kidney Pills. You can use my name as much as you like. I have quite an extended acquaintance through driving through the city for twenty-six years and I will vouch for what they have done for me."

Doan's Kidney Pills Sold by all Druggists. 50c. per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

LAWTON FIGHTING

Battle Started Early This Morning.

Aguinaldo's Envoys Make Another Attempt to Secure Peace—They Say Aguinaldo Has Not Made a Fair Test of His Strength.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 2.—6.05 p. m.—Major Manuel Argueles and Lieut. Jose Bernal, of the staff of General Antonio Luna, returned here today to renew and press the request of General Luna for a cessation of hostilities. They have found the field of labor a most uncongenial one. The two officers were received in conference by Major General E. S. Otis. The proposals which they had to submit differed but slightly from those which they brought from the Filipino commander in the first place. They desired a little time in which to summon congress and expressed themselves as being confident that the congress will decree peace because the people desire it. They represent that Aguinaldo is without power to surrender the army and that the congress must decide that question. Incidentally, the Filipino envoys asserted that Aguinaldo had not yet made a fair test of his strength against the American forces because only one-third of his army had been assembled together.

The envoys presented a letter from Senor Mabini, president and minister of foreign affairs in the cabinet of Aguinaldo and who is the backbone of the Filipino organization. The communication is personal and unofficial and seconds Major Argueles arguments.

The envoys will see General Otis again tomorrow. They will sleep tonight at Manila. They lunched with General MacArthur at his headquarters on a car of the armored train at Calumpit before coming to Manila.

Whether or not General Luna is sincere in his overtures, the negotiations are giving the insurgents a much needed opportunity to rehabilitate their demoralized forces. The truth is that dissension among the leaders of the rebels is helping on the disorganization of the Filipino army almost as fast as the American campaign.

In the course of the conference with Filipino envoys, General Otis agreed with the statement of Major Argueles that the people of the Philippine islands wanted peace and he added that requests for protection are pouring in upon him from all parts of the country.

Major General Lawton was engaged in hard fighting early this morning. Telegraph communication was cut at 9 o'clock, a. m. and there have been no reports from General Lawton since that time.

NEWS FROM GILMORE

The Crew of the Yorktown Heard From.

Member of Gen. Luna's Staff Bring's a List of the Missing Men to Gen. MacArthur.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 2. (2.55 p. m.)—The first authentic information regarding Lieut. J. C. Gilmore and his party of 14 men from the United States gunboat Yorktown, who were captured by the Filipinos on April 12, was received today at the hands of Major Argueles of the staff of General Antonio Luna. It is in the form of a list of the missing men and is signed by Lieut. Gilmore. The lieutenant reports that he and his party have been brought across two mountains from Baler where they were captured. This information was brought in response to a note which Major General MacArthur sent to General Luna by Major Shiels and Lieut. Hayne and which those officers, bearing a flag of truce, carried across General Luna's lines on yesterday evening. The note, after asking for information regarding American prisoners in General Luna's hands, concluded with the message that he (General MacArthur) would be pleased to meet General Luna. Major Shields and Lieut. Hayne found a span of the railroad bridge a mile from St. Tomas, broken.

ATKINSON'S BOOK

Cannot be Mailed to the Philippines.

IT MIGHT EXCITE MUTINY

Among the Soldiers in the Philippines.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The postmaster general has directed the postmaster at San Francisco to take out of the mails for Manila three pamphlets issued by Edward Atkinson of Boston, vice president of the anti-imperialistic league. This order does not apply to the circulation of the pamphlets by mail in this country but debars their dispatch from this country to the Philippines, discontent and even mutiny among the soldiers being stated by the department to be the design of these publications. The three pamphlets are specifically described and in no circumstance are they to be forwarded by mail to the Philippines.

BIG MEETING

OF THE CIGAR LEAF TOBACCO TRADE WILL CONVENE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.—As an indirect outcome of the arrest of William H. Jacobs and his co-conspirators in the revenue stamp counterfeiting case, the most important national meeting in the history of the cigar leaf tobacco trade will convene in this city May 22. Representatives will be present from all the principal cigar leaf centres of the country. One of the results will be the formation of a national organization. It is proposed to form an organization to enable the government to protect itself and the dealers from such frauds as the Lancaster counterfeiting gang. The government was a great sufferer by Jacob's swindling, but the cigar leaf dealers lost a great deal more. Jacob's cutting of prices upset the whole cigar business, even back to the dealer in leaf tobacco.

A suggested remedy is the keeping of a record of all sales of tobacco from the time it is grown until it is made into cigars.

WAR DEPARTMENT

ARRANGING TO SEND TROOPS TO OTIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Arrangements are being made at the war department to expedite the transportation of reinforcements to General Otis as soon as possible but owing to the unforeseen obstacles it has been found necessary to postpone the departure of the transport Sherman which will be ready to re-sail for Manila on the 22d instant. The Sixth Infantry, which was to have started from San Francisco on the fifth instant, will not be able to get away until the Sherman is ready to sail. That regiment as well as the 16th Infantry, is in the vicinity of San Francisco and will start across the Pacific as soon as transports are available. General Corbin said today that no change had been made in the plans of the department regarding the sending of re-inforcements to the Philippines to take the place of volunteer troops who are to be brought home.

BICYCLE CLUB

OF THE AYER EMPLOYES WAS FORMED YESTERDAY.

The employes of the J. C. Ayer company who are interested in bicycling held a very enthusiastic meeting at the close of business yesterday and organized a bicycle club. Mr. Frank G. Rose, although not an employe of the company called the meeting to order by request and stated the objects for which it was desired to form an organization, chiefly for the purpose of enjoying runs together, on evenings, Saturday afternoons and holidays, and having the arrangements therefor carried out in a systematic way. About sixty of the people connected with the company are bicycle riders and when they turn out together, they will make an imposing procession. The following officers were chosen: President, Milton R. Corey; vice president, Maud Winchester; secretary and treasurer, George B. Bower; color bearer, John T. Williams; bugler, Harry M. Bellamy; road committee, C. B. Kirkland, L. Gertrude Tetley, Ethel L. Tinker, and John B. Buckley. Frank G. Rose and Frank W. Hall were appointed a committee to draw up a set of by-laws for the organization. The club name will be adopted at the next meeting.

FIRE GUTTED A BUILDING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WEYMOUTH, Mass., May 2.—Fire this morning gutted a building owned by the Turner estate on North street, North Weymouth. The building was occupied by Simmons' meat market and the Harmony club. The loss was $2,000.

IN MARBLEHEAD

Pleasant Celebration of the 250th Anniversary.

THERE WAS NO PARADE THERE.

Schools Closed and Business Suspended.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., May 2.—The 250th anniversary of the town of Marblehead was observed with appropriate ceremonies today, although the celebration was not on such an elaborate scale as had been hoped for by many of the citizens, owing to a difference of opinion which developed over the amount to be appropriated for the purpose at the annual town meeting. The program, however, was of a pleasing and interesting nature and the day was made a holiday by many business firms, the town officials and the public schools.

Ringing bells and reverberating cannon opened the day. Many of the stores and halls of the town, as well as private houses, were trimmed with bunting and other decorations, while flags were to be seen on every side. Abbot hall, the principal public building and the one in which the formal exercises were held, was elaborately festooned with tri-colored draperies and flags, both on the outer and inner walls.

There was no parade today. The forenoon was spent in various forms of amusement, promenades and visits to the United States gunboats Sandoval and Alvarado, which lay in the harbor. In the afternoon the school children had an entertainment in Abbott hall, and this evening, at the same place, the citizens will listen to a program which includes patriotic music, tableaux, readings and addresses, and the reading of a poem dedicated to the 250th anniversary of Marblehead, by Rev. H. Garcia Selman.

Historically, Marblehead is considered one of the most interesting in New England. The town of Salem in 1648, gave permission for the town to set up a separate government, and on May 2, 1649, the Legislature granted incorporation. Moses Maverick, Samuel Dolliber, Francis Johnson, Nicholas Merritt, John Peach, Sr., John Devereaux, and John Bartoll were the first selectmen.

WEAVERS RETURN

AND WORK AT DODGEVILLE IS RESUMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., May 2—All but five of the striking weavers at Dodgeville returned to their looms this morning. The five missing are absent from the village but will be on hand to resume work tomorrow. At noon today 510 of the 540 looms were running. The strikers went back to the same conditions as when they struck. They are to get 45 cents on four quarters as at the time the strike was declared. That price is 7 1-4 per cent advance over price formerly paid. The mill owners made no change or concessions the strikers being more than willing to go to work.

RETURNED TO WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 2.—The striking weavers in Robert Knight's mills at River Point returned to work this morning. All except 150 looms are running, many operatives having left the village temporarily or for good during the strike. This ends the cotton strike in the Pawtuxet valley. All the mills will be in full operation before the end of the week.

The strike of the woolen weavers at Centreville continues. They have organized a union and will confer with the mill men this afternoon.

CECIL RHODES' ADDRESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—An enormous crowd of people gathered in the vicinity of the Cannon street hotel here today in the hope of hearing the address of Mr. Cecil Rhodes before the meeting of the Chartered British South Africa company. The people began gathering as early as eight o'clock in the morning outside the hall and thousands were refused admission to the meeting. When Mr. Rhodes arrived at noon, he was greeted with tremendous cheering.

The Duke of Abercorn, president of the company occupied the chair and was supported by Earl Grey and Lord Gifford, vice presidents of the company and other directors.

Mr. Rhodes, addressing the meeting of two thousand persons, took an optimistic view of the pastoral and mineral future of Rhodesia. Referring to his recent visit to Berlin, Mr. Rhodes said that the agreement for carrying the telegraph line through German territory was effected through the kindness of Emperor Williams, who, whatever might have been his feeling which had resulted very unsatisfactorily to Mr. Rhodes, was still a broad-minded man (Cheers). The emperor met his propositions with an admirable breath of mind and offered him every means for carrying out his plans. The conduct of European countries, ordinarily, Mr. Rhodes said, was to levy blackmail wherever it was possible. The German emperor, however, charged nothing for the concession, except the cost of the maintenance of the line.

Dealing with his failure to come to an agreement with the government of Great Britain, respecting the proposed guarantee for the projected Cape-to-Cairo railway Mr. Rhodes said that the directors proposed to raise £3,000,000 by the issue of bonds bearing four per cent interest and with this money to build the remaining 750 miles northward. The millionaire Alfred Beit had offered to take £500,000 if Mr. Rhode took £200,000. The government had failed the company in this matter but the commercial interests of the city had carried them through. (Cheers.)

The loan scheme proposed by Mr. Rhodes was approved by the meeting on a show of hands.

TEXTILE WORKERS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 2.—The National Union of Textile Workers of America convention was opened today with an address by President Lew Weiner of Cigarmakers' Union 97, who spoke on the union label. The Blue label of the International Cigarmakers' Union was indorsed.

The balance of the session was devoted to discussing amendments to the constitution.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

THE RILEY CASE

For Breach of Promise on Trial.

BEGAN IN SUPERIOR COURT TODAY.

The Plaintiff is Miss Rose Crane.

The much discussed case of Rose Crane vs. P. J. Riley for alleged breach of promise was called for trial in the superior court about 12.30 o'clock this afternoon before Judge Bond. John J. and William A. Hogan for the plaintiff and Crowley, O'Hearn and Quin for the defendant.

Three jurors were challenged as follows: Fred A. Fay, Patrick Flynn, and Walter L. Symonds.

The case was opened by William A. Hogan, Esq., who read the declaration and made the opening address.

In his remarks he stated that the plaintiff, a young girl working in the mills, made the acquaintance of the defendant, a well known business man. He began calling on her and in October of the same year he drove up to her house and took her to ride and after that called at the house sometimes as often as four times a week. In fact was a constant visitor at her house. On Christmas, 1897, he gave her a pair of opera glasses for a present. In January, 1898 the defendant proposed to the plaintiff and gave her a gold watch to mark the engagement. Then everything went along smoothly and they drove out together, going to Lawrence and in the summer to Lynn together. Miss Crane's sister accompanied them to Lynn, driving over the road in Mr. Riley's carriage. They enjoyed their vacation at Lynn until the latter part of August when Miss Crane's sister took ill and they all returned to Lowell.

At the beach in Lynn the defendant met another young lady and shortly after their return to Lowell Miss Crane heard that the defendant was calling on the other girl and taking her out riding and she upbraided him. At first he denied the accusation but later said that she was an old friend of the family.

Then his love for the plaintiff grew cold and he became a less frequent visitor to her home and finally he discontinued his visits entirely and is now going with the other lady.

Miss Crane and her family and friends believed the wedding was to take place in October, 1898 and the prospective bride gave her notice in the mill and prepared her wedding gown. When the time arrived Mr. Riley failed to live up to his agreement and the plaintiff as a result is no longer the young, light-hearted girl that she was before her bitter disappointment.

Recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of the afternoon session, the witnesses for the plaintiff were sworn. They were 13 in number and included eight women.

The first witness called was the plaintiff, Miss Rose Crane, who testified: "I am a native of New Brunswick and came to the states with my sisters in 1891. I worked in the Lawrence hosiery. When I first came here I went to live on the Lawrence corporation and lived there six months or a year. I then went to room in Merrimack street for a year. Leaving Merrimack street, we all went home, because my sister was going to be married. We stayed there all summer and I returned here with two of my sisters, going to live on Merrimack street again. We lived there until my married sister took up housekeeping here on Ames street and afterward on Mt. Washington street. Mr. Riley lived next door to us. I then only knew him by sight. We moved to Bowers street in 1897 and stayed there until 1898.

"We were all acquainted with Mr. Riley's housekeeper, Mrs. O'Neil. He met us all going into the house to see her one night after we had moved to Bowers street. He went into the house with us and stayed there until we were going. He accompanied us to the yard and said that he didn't understand why we were not acquainted before. About two weeks afterward he met my sister and as a result of what he said to her, we went to his house to stay all night with Mrs. O'Neil. Mr. Riley and his sister were there. He told us that he had finished his business in Manchester and had got back, so we didn't stay. He told us that he had asked our sister if we couldn't come up and stay all night with Mrs. O'Neil. He accompanied us part way down street. He asked us if we ever played whist and invited us to come to the house and play. The following Saturday he called at our house and said he was on his way to Manchester and wanted us to go up and stay with Mrs. O'Neil. About 9.30 o'clock, Mr. Riley came in and gave me a box of candy, saying that he had lost his train. When we were leaving, he came as far as the house with us but did not go in.

"One Sunday, either in September or October, he came to the house and asked me to ride. We drove to Lakeview by way of the Boulevard in a two-horse carriage. We returned at 6 o'clock and on the following Tuesday he called at the door and later came into the house and passed the evening in the sitting room. There were present my two sisters. My sister asked him to call again when he was going and he said he would. The following Sunday, he took me to ride to Westford in the same team. We were alone. We arrived home that evening at 7.30 o'clock. On the following Wednesday evening, he called at about 9 o'clock. I had begun to think that he wasn't coming. He came in in a hurry and said that he had missed his train at Ayer Junction. We went to ride to Tewksbury on the next Sunday. From that time up to Christmas, he called every Wednesday and every Sunday. When he wouldn't call Sunday afternoon, he would call in the evening. When he took me to ride in the afternoon he would call again in the evening. Some times he would call three times a week. At some of his visits we were alone in the parlor. He took me to the Opera House frequently and always brought me flowers."

"I always considered that his visits were made to me and not to my sister's family. At Christmas he gave me a present of a pair of opera glasses."

Mr. Hogan then produced a pair of pearl mounted opera glasses which were identified by the witness and put in as evidence.

Witness continued: "When he gave me the glasses, I told him I was not in the habit of receiving presents from anyone. He told me that he didn't give presents to anyone else and I took them. Before January, 1898, we called on friends together. I remember we called on a friend of mine, a Miss Maguire in Centreville.

"In January, 1898, he proposed to me. He said that people didn't think that he had a heart at all and he said he did. He said: 'I know you have a kind heart, you have fine ideas. You remind me very much of my late wife and I think you could fill her place very well. What do you say?' I said yes," added the witness, the tears coming into her eyes.

Continuing witness said: "He told me that we would not always live on Mt. Washington street as he had land in the Highlands. At my request he said he would get a fireplace in the house and a Kemble piano. We agreed that the wedding would take place in October.

"He said he would give me an engagement present and on the following Sunday he showed me the watch. At that time he said he didn't have a fitting chain for it and would get one. About two weeks afterward he gave me the watch and chain."

Witness was wearing the watch and chain and showed them to the jury.

In response to further questions she said "Mr. Riley gave me the watch in the presence of my brother-in-law and his wife. I told them it was my engagement present and one of them said 'I suppose that is to seal your engagement,' and I replied that it was. During February he sent me a valentine."

Mr. Hogan then uncovered a large box containing the valentine which the jury inspected with the greatest interest. There were inscribed on the valentine in large golden letters the words "Love's Token." The valentine was a most elaborate creation of the golden and blue, heart-pierced-with-arrows variety and a child's face in the center.

Witness continued: "I went to Palmer, Mass., for two weeks in the latter part of February and he wrote me a letter. He said he was lonesome without me and would be glad when I came home. He said he might go to Springfield that Thursday and that he would telephone to me from there and meet me. If he did not go to Springfield, he said for me to let him know when I was coming home and he would meet me at the depot.

"He addressed the letter 'My Dear Rose,' and concluded it 'Your own Mr. Riley.'

"Your own Peter Riley?" asked Mr. Crowley.

"No, sir. Your own Mr. Riley," answered the witness.

"I returned home March 12th and Mr. Riley called at the house that night. He called very frequently after that. On one occasion he showed me some land in the Highlands and said that was where he was going to build. He said that he had 60 acres of land.

"When the summer came on we drove to different summer resorts. We drove to Bedford Springs three times and we drove to Silver Lake three times. On April 19 we started to go to Concord but it rained and we turned back and came back by way of Long-Sought-For pond. We stopped at a farm house and then went down to Mr. Crevier's cottage. Mr. Crevier and Mr. Riley drank together. Mr. Riley as he started to drink said: 'We will drink to the health of the intended Mrs. Riley.'

"We drove to Lakeview very often that spring. We would usually have refreshments at Willow Dale. I attended the Knights of Sherwood Forest ball, May 6, and we were in the march together.

POPE LEO

WILL ADJUST DIFFICULTY BETWEEN HAYTI AND SAN DOMINGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The following memorandum was given out for today: "The strained relations existing between the republics of Hayti and San Domingo caused by a dispute over the boundary line between those two countries are in a fair way of settlement. The whole questions with others involved, is to be referred to the Holy See, Pope Leo the Thirteenth at Rome, to adjust. The statement that each country is massing troops on the frontier is untrue."

RIVER RISING

CONNECTICUT CAUSING MUCH DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LITTLETON, N. H., May 2.—The water in the Connecticut river in the vicinity of Dalton is very high and has caused considerable damage to the property of the Dalton Power company. The engine, water wheel and 500 feet of railroad track were swept away. Land along the river for 200 yards near the mill has been washed away and the saw mill of the company is in a precarious condition. Cables have been attached to the building to hold it but it is feared that it will be entirely washed away at any moment. Everything of value has been removed from the building. The dam is still solid and may escape destruction.

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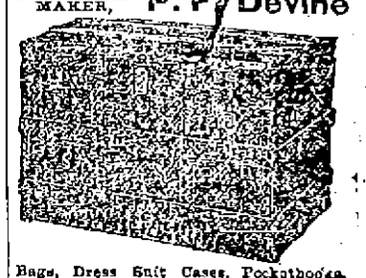
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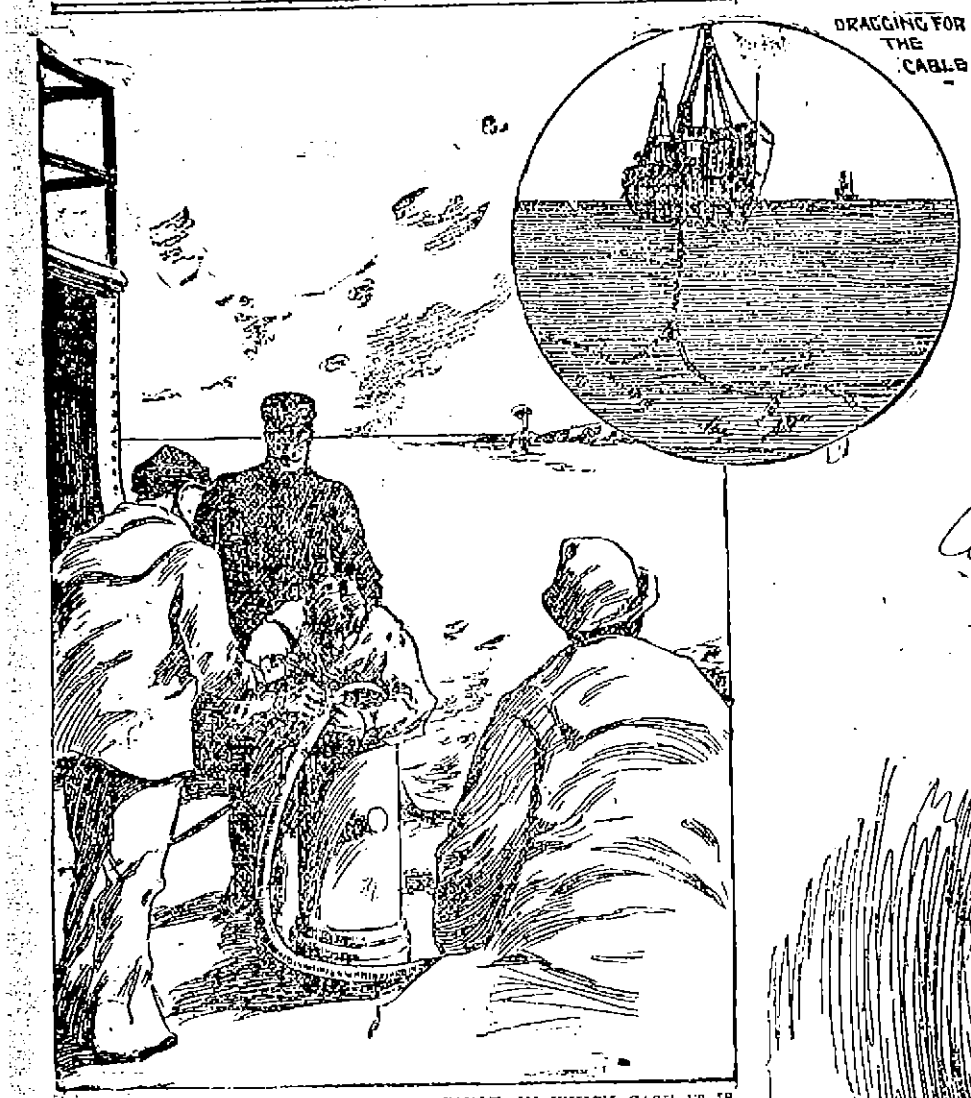
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AN HOUR WITH THE CABLE KING.

The Simple Habits of the Man Who Is Putting a Belt of Wire Around the Earth.

They expected John W. Mackay over for the Fair wedding. But he did not come. He sent the daughter of his old partner a stomacher of diamonds and wrote her a beautiful letter. That was all. He could not bear to see, they said, the girl whom he had watched grow from babyhood, at the altar. Rich, full of worldliness, engrossed by affairs, John W. Mackay has a strong vein of sentiment left in him. And the wedding would have revived sad memories.

They say that at one time both he and Mrs. Mackay planned a match between John W. Mackay, Jr., and Miss Virginia Fair, and that both were patiently waiting for the young couple to grow up into years of earnestness. But the dream was shattered when young Mackay's skull was broken while hunting three years ago, and later when Clarence Mackay married Miss Duer, they gave up all hope of seeing the child of their guardianship united to them by marriage.

There was more than one reason why John W. Mackay wanted to see such a match consummated. The Mackays are Catholics, and so is Miss Fair, and the triple tie of fortune, feeling and religion was strong.

When young Mackay came to this country, in 1850, he had little hope of ever buying a stomacher of diamonds for any one. A tall lad of 9 years, the son of parents of religious inclination, he early knew that he must win his own way in the world. So when Webb, the shipbuilder, wanted a "boy," Bill Mackay accepted the situation and $2 per week with pleasure. He worked for some years at shipbuilding, doing as well as he could in the routine of office work, when chance took him to Louisville. He was here when the gold fever broke out and the forty-niners started for California.

GETTING THE FEVER.

He caught the fever, and with nothing except a miner's pick and a will he started for the coast, intending to dig through the very heart of the Sierras to strike gold.

He found gold on a rocky ledge on the site of what is now Virginia City, and a rich find it was. Young Mackay, now a slender young fellow of handsome features, serious expression and pleasant ways, found himself a mine owner in a night.

In 1861 he found James G. Flood, William O'Brien, both friendly spirits, and formed a partnership with them. Young Mackay was always lucky in his partnerships, and seemed to know an honest man when he saw one.

Their first big success came in the Hale & Norcross mines, in which Mackay owned two-fifths of the stock. Then, in 1868, he formed another partnership, this time with James G. Fair, and the two struck silver so richly that in a year they mined $150,000,000 in silver and gold. That made them rich.

Fair grew to love Mackay during that mining period, and when he died more than twenty years later, it was found that he had left his most precious possessions, the guardianship of his two girls and their fortunes, in the hands of his old partner.

Up to this time Mr. Mackay had worked as a common miner, and it was quite a come-down for the Widow Bryant to marry him. But he won her in Virginia City and the two started life with a big fortune. Mrs. Mackay at that time was a widow with a small child. She was very poor, as her husband, a practicing physician, had left her very little, and it is said that she seriously thought of earning her own living and that of her mother and child. But Mackay knew her and fell in love with her. She was at this time a great beauty and the men of Virginia City thought Mackay a lucky dog, indeed.

But mining is dirty work for a man and after he gets enough of the gold stuff he is willing to quit. So, soon after his marriage, Mr. Mackay arranged his Nevada and California mines in such a way that they would yield a steady income and, leaving them in the hands of overseers, he turned his attention to a project that had long been uppermost in his mind.

HIS OCEAN CABLES.

He had always cherished a scheme for the laying of a cable to Europe; and it is now a matter of history that, at the time Cyrus W. Field laid the Atlantic cable Mackay had one partly constructed from Alaska across Bering Strait, which here is only thirty-seven miles wide. This was to connect with a Siberian cable through Russia, and so communicate with England and the interior of Europe.

George W. Kennan was employed by Mackay to go to Siberia as a telegraph operator, and he was there when they sent word to him to abandon the project as Field had successfully laid his cable. Mackay's company had at that time spent a million, but they dropped the enterprise. It is said that they are taking it up now.

Soon the name of Mackay began to be known in the telegraph world. With money behind him he could do what others only thought and talked about. He soon controlled half the ocean cables of the world.

John W. Mackay believes in competition for the public benefit, but he never pushed it to the verge of ruin. When competing cable rates went to 12 cents a word, in the effort to force the new cable company out of the field, Mr. Mackay was satisfied with establishing a 25-cent rate and forcing his rivals to meet it permanently. This is a public benefit.

A day with the cable king is most interesting, though not wildly exciting. When in San Francisco he lives quietly at a hotel and stands at the door like any ordinary traveler. When in Paris, where he lives much of the year, he still keeps up his American ways. He has a substantial New York breakfast at 8, and, true to American training, is in the cable offices at 9.

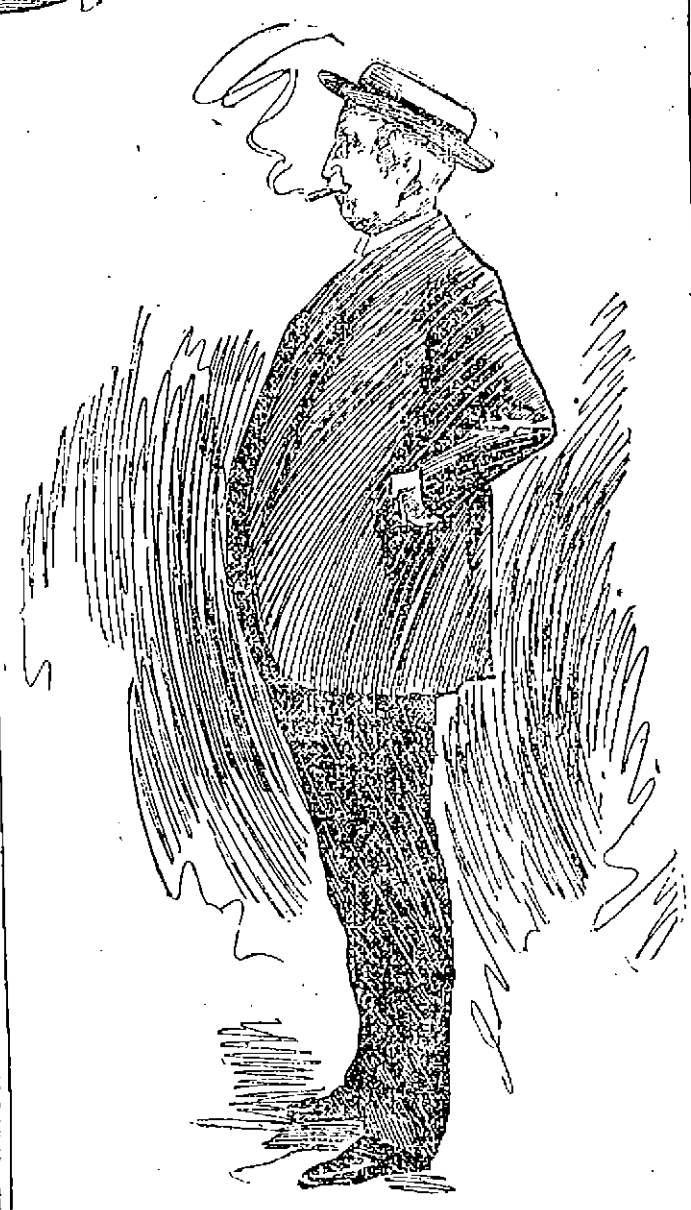
He works all day, principally directing ambitious plans for a furtherance of the cable systems of the world. For years he has not examined his daily mail and is ignorant of the contents of ninety out of a hundred letters that are sent to him. He has two stenographers who assort the letters and a secretary who answers them, dictating all day long.

HIS DAILY LIFE.

Mr. Mackay has never had a fad, and for that reason he is pronounced a sad man. But he is not sad. He reads a great deal, drives behind his horses and objects to enjoy himself in a quietly sensible way. He shoots seldom, fishes little, indulges in no great collections of orchids, is not interested in the sports except in a kindly way, and knows no great fancy except for his three little grandchildren, the offspring of his stepdaughter, the Princess Colonna. Andrea is his pet, and though he would doubtless have preferred the plain name of John, he never shows his disappointment. The death of his son subdued an already quiet temperament, and for the past two years the world has seen the cable king almost not at all.

With all widespread movements, John W. Mackay has a wide sympathy, and it is asserted by his friends that if a Socialist were to approach him with outstretched hand he would drop a silver piece into it. He gives generously, and puts a vast amount of money into circulation by keeping up magnificent houses in four large cities of the world. His London house in Carlton House Terrace is magnificent.

Mr. Mackay is now reputed to be worth $112,000,000, a sum which is no doubt greatly exaggerated, but he has never been accused of hoarding or trying to accumulate more. On the contrary, he has risked millions in public enterprises.



JOHN W. MACKAY, THE CABLE KING, FROM A SNAPSHOT TAKEN OF HIM IN FRONT OF HIS FAVORITE HOTEL IN SAN FRANCISCO.

A YANKEE TROLLEY IN HAWAII

Chinese Are the Chief Patrons, and They Willingly Give Up Their Coin for a Ride.

The first American trolley car is running in Hawaii, and, strange to say, it runs through the Chinese quarter. John Chinaman, as every one knows, is averse to spending his money. He makes it by laborious scrubbing of clothes and by weeding in the gardens of the farmers, and when he gets his few dollars together he does not want to part with them.

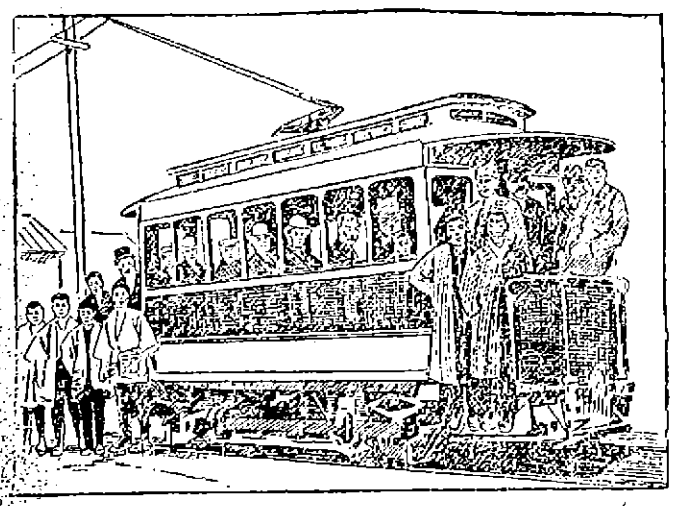
He is saving them to take back to China, where he can live forevermore on a small part of his earnings while here. But the sight of a trolley car going past his door is too much for him, and he yields to temptation, even though it robs him of his money.

The first American trolley in Hawaii is provided with cars that are exceedingly plain. They have seats of matting, and there is none of the fine decoration that is seen on our street cars. The woods are polished to make them more durable, but that is all.

The same cars are used winter and summer, and the car seats comfortably only twelve persons. The others can either crowd upon the platform or walk.

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ENJOYING A RIDE ON THE FIRST TROLLEY CAR IN HAWAII.

THE QUEEN'S ROYAL YACHTS.

The New Albert and Victoria Is to Be Launched Some Time in May.

The largest, handsomest and most expensively equipped yacht in the world is now being constructed at the government dockyard at Pembroke, England. Queen Victoria is to be the mistress of this floating palace, which is to be launched some time in May, and the fact that the new craft will probably cost close upon $2,000,000 has made the Pembroke dockyard the center of interest for hundreds of students of yacht building for months past.

In size the new yacht will be simply immense, when it is considered that its use is to be that of a pleasure craft. It is to be larger than the Valiant, William K. Vanderbilt's floating palace; larger even than the Hohenzollern, Emperor William's famous war yacht; larger than J. Pierpont Morgan's yacht Corsair, which is now under construction. In fact, the new royal yacht is to be about as large as the United States cruiser Baltimore, being 420 feet over all, 50 feet beam, with a draught of 18 feet and displacement of 4,000 tons.

The hull of the Queen's new yacht will be of steel, sheathed with wood and covered with copper. She will be provided with double bottoms and will have three masts, three funnels and a clipper stem. She will be fitted with machinery that, while powerful, will be conducive to the swiftest speed. There will be two sets of triple expansion four-cylinder engines, driving twin screws, and having 11,000 horse power. The high pressure cylinder of each engine is to be 26½ inches in diameter, and the intermediate cylinder 44½ inches, all having a stroke of 39 inches.

The steam is to be supplied by eighteen Belleville boilers, the grate area being 840 feet, and the heating surface 260,000 square feet. It is expected with this machinery the yacht will be able to make twenty knots an hour.

RUSHING THE WORK.

Although the yacht is not yet nearly ready for launching, the office of the British Admiralty is making preparations to rush the work as soon as she has left the ways. It was originally intended that the yacht should be used for cruising this summer, but of course this is an impossibility. It is hoped, however, that by making every effort it will be possible for the vessel to go into commission next fall, in which case it will probably be used on an extended Mediterranean trip next winter.

Scores of the most expert artisans to be found in the United Kingdom have been engaged, and as soon as the craft has been successfully launched they will proceed to furnish and decorate the interior in a manner to make it by all odds the most magnificent afloat.

The question of the name to be given this new royal yacht has caused the Queen no little trouble of mind. The Prince of Wales has urged her to christen it the Balmoral, while several members of the Admiralty Board have favored calling her the Enchantress. If the matter were left entirely to the Queen and no outside suggestions had been urged upon her it is safe to say that no other name than Victoria and Albert would have been thought of.

For the Queen the name Victoria and Albert suggests many tender memories of the Prince Consort. Together, the royal bride and her young husband enjoyed many pleasant cruises, and this was the name that was suggested to be borne by the first yacht that was constructed under their joint direction, and since that time every craft that has been regarded as the Queen's own royal yacht has been known as the Victoria and Albert.

Whether she will change this custom when it comes to naming her new private yacht remains to be seen.

The history of the royal cruisings is an interesting one, especially at this time, when such a magnificent yacht is to take the place of those on which the Queen was wont to sail. The first long sea voyage taken by her Majesty and Prince Albert was in the summer of 1842, two years after their marriage, when the Queen decided to visit Scotland, in order that she and the Prince Consort might have a respite from the cares of state, and, at the same time, view the scenes made familiar to them by Scott in his novels.

FIRST STEAM YACHT.

At the request of the Queen the Royal George was taken in hand at Woolwich dockyard, and was thoroughly repaired and redecorated, particular attention being paid to ventilation. The Royal George was an old vessel, even at that time, but her graceful lines still won the admiration of sailors.

The Prince Consort was not satisfied with her, however, and soon after this memorable cruise began the construction of a steam-propelled yacht, and in 1843 the first Victoria and Albert was launched. She was of 1,112 tons displacement and 100 horse power, and for several years the royal couple made frequent use of this yacht, and always under the command of the same officer, Capt. Lord Adolphus Fitz Clarence, the second natural son of William IV., who after a career of sixteen years in the navy, was appointed to the Royal George in 1830, and continued to fill the coveted position of commander of the premier royal yacht for more than twenty years.

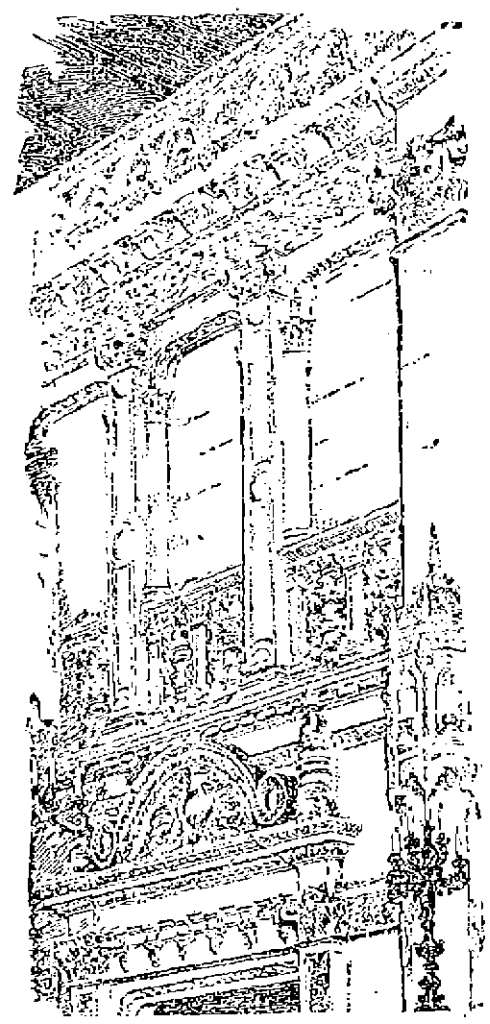
In 1854 the Prince Consort decided to build another yacht, and the second Victoria and Albert was laid down at Pembroke. She is a wooden paddle-wheel vessel, with a displacement of 2,470 tons and engines capable of registering 2,080 horse power. That she has always borne the reputation of being one of the most seaworthy craft ever launched speaks well for the shipbuilding abilities of Prince Albert, for she was built, furnished and decorated entirely in accordance with his instructions. During the last years of the life of the Prince Consort this was the vessel in which the Queen and her husband always traveled.

Often since his death the Queen has been urged to permit the construction of a more modern vessel, but has always refused to consider such a suggestion.

For some time past, however, the Victoria and Albert has shown signs of decay, while the worn condition of her boilers does not permit her to exceed a low speed under the most favorable conditions.

In view of these circumstances the Queen was forced to consent to the construction of this more suitable vessel; but, although she has taken considerable interest in the work that has been done and will view its completion with pleasure, she still insists that she will never abandon the old yacht, which is so intimately associated with her pleasure during the life of the Prince Consort.

CEILING DECORATION IN THE MAIN SALON OF THE QUEEN'S NEW YACHT, WHERE, IF HER MAJESTY LIVES, SHE WILL SPEND MANY HOURS AFLOAT.



THE INTERIOR OF THE QUEEN'S SPLENDID NEW YACHT, EXACTLY AS IT WILL LOOK WHEN LAUNCHED IN MAY.

FOR OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

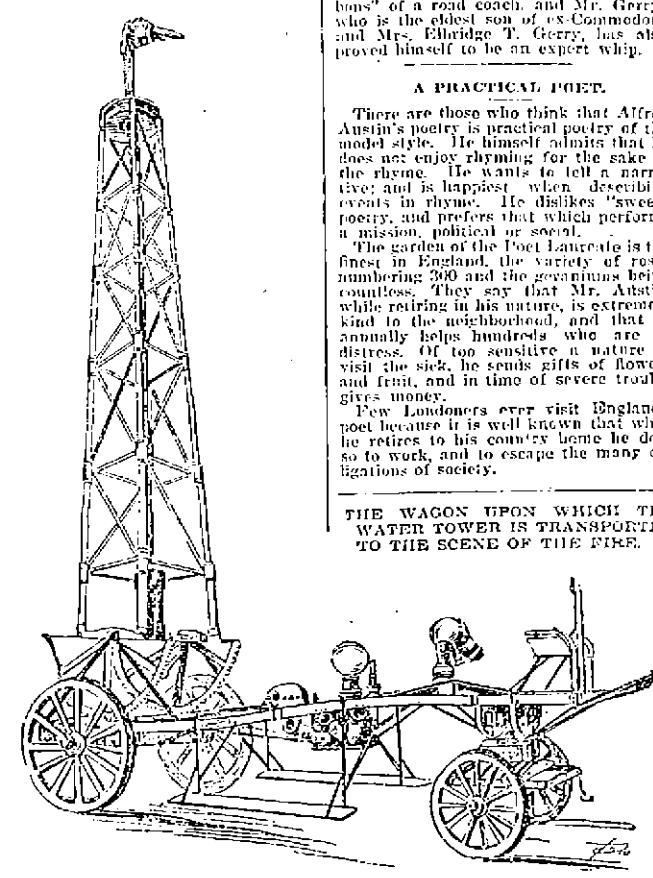
This has been a year of terrible fires, particularly in New York City, where fire has destroyed $10,000,000 in property and taken more than one hundred lives this year. The Windsor Hotel fire, which occurred in the afternoon of St. Patrick's Day, was a horrible casualty. After the fire fifty bodies were found in the ruins. The burning of Idle Hour, where W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and his bride were spending their honeymoon, was another unusual fire. So thoroughly has the fire fiend done its work that the fire insurance companies have paid out $10 this year where they paid out only $1 last year.

One of the greatest losses has been in the sky-scrapers, which are built so tall that they cannot be readily reached with the hose. Although we have not in this city any buildings of phenomenal height, yet it is a fact that there are several the top stories of which could not be effectively reached by our Fire Department.

It is, therefore, proposed to the department that they consider some of the new water towers which are now being investigated in New York City. One of these towers has a very high swinging attachment, by which water can be forced as high as the top of the tower, and from this height thrown through a nozzle-like projection upon the flames. It is rumored that the Fire Department of this city has had such a tower offered to them for consideration, but of this we could obtain no accurate information.

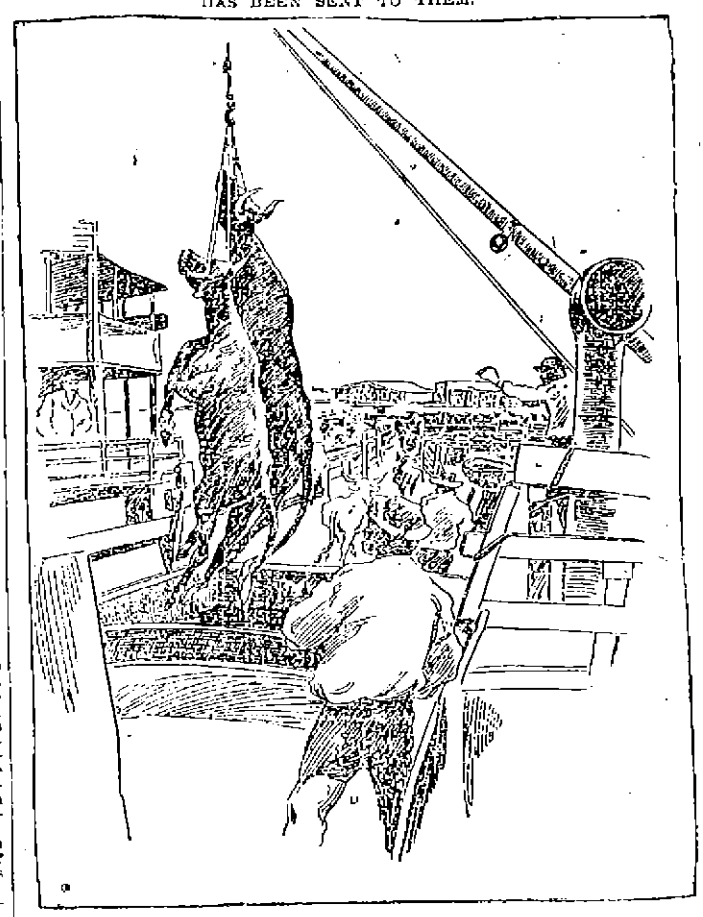
One of the advantages of this tower is that it works very quickly and without endangering the lives of the firemen. It is raised by a simple mechanical means, and when its work is done it is carted back to the engine house.

THE TOP OF THE WATER TOWER FROM WHICH WATER IS DISCHARGED UPON THE BURNING SKY-SCRAPER.



THE PORTABLE WATER TOWER WHICH, IT IS RUMORED, HAS BEEN OFFERED FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN MANILA WILL SOON ENJOY THE LUXURY OF ENGLISH ROAST BEEF RAISED ON WESTERN SOIL FROM THE BEST OF OLD ENGLISH STOCK. A TRANSPORT OF BEEF HAS BEEN SENT TO THEM.



SWINGING THE CATTLE ABOARD THE TRANSPORT SHIP WHICH IS TO GO TO THE PHILIPPINES.

BEEF ON THE HOOF FOR DEWEY

A Transport Loaded with Good Dinners Has Been Shipped from San Francisco to Manila.

For the first time Dewey's men in the Philippines will have fresh beef for dinner. It will not be canned beef nor corned beef, but beef on the hoof, freshly killed and ready to be roasted in good English style. There are good cooks in the Philippines and there is no reason why a broiled beefsteak and a well-served fillet should not be a feature of the army dinner table before long.

Many hundred heads of beef, all brought from the famous cattle districts of Michigan, Iowa and Illinois, were loaded into the transport and settled in comfortable ocean quarters. These cattle are well fatted and will arrive at the end of their month's journey in good condition. Here they will be placed in army cattle yards and kept until needed for the slaughter house.

Civilized man away from home longs for the flesh pots of his native land. All the choice game, all the fine fruits and all the extra large vegetables do not keep him from sighing for the good roast to which he has been accustomed, and it was as a reward for our soldiers, as well as to afford them a healthful necessity, that the meat was shipped for them.

Canada mutton is such an expensive product that it can hardly be shipped in quantities to the Philippines, but it is hinted that the commissary department of the navy is looking around for a bargain in the good Canada product in order to send good chops and a savory boil to the Manila men.

THE COACHING PARADE.

The annual parade of the Coaching Club is to be held in New York, the first or second Saturday of May. The programme of the parade this year is to be unlike that at any of the previous demonstrations of the club. In the past the members met, with their coaches and parties, in Fifth avenue near the Metropolitan Club, and then drove through the Park, across Seventy-second street and out Riverside Drive to Claremont. The members and parties will meet this spring at the Metropolitan Club for luncheon, and about 3 o'clock the parade will form in Fifth avenue at the plaza, and then follow the old route.

Twelve members of the Coaching Club have already promised to have their coaches in the parade. Three new members will make their debuts—James B. Eustis, Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Robert Livingston Gerry. Mr. Vanderbilt, who is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, although a young man just out of college, has demonstrated his ability to "handle the ribbons" of a road coach, and Mr. Gerry, who is the eldest son of ex-Commodore and Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry, has also proved himself to be an expert whip.

A PRACTICAL POET.

There are those who think that Alfred Austin's poetry is practical poetry of the model style. He himself admits that he does not enjoy rhyming for the sake of the rhyme. He wants to tell a narrative; and is happiest when describing events in rhyme. He dislikes "sweet" poetry, and prefers that which performs a mission, political or social.

The garden of the Poet Laureate is the finest in England, the variety of roses numbering 300 and the geraniums being countless. They say that Mr. Austin, while retiring in his nature, is extremely kind to the neighborhood, and that he annually helps hundreds who are in distress. Of too sensitive a nature to visit the sick, he sends gifts of flowers and fruit, and in time of severe trouble gives money.

Few Londoners ever visit England's poet because it is well known that when he retires to his country home he does so to work, and to escape the many obligations of society.

THE WAGON UPON WHICH THE WATER TOWER IS TRANSPORTED TO THE SCENE OF THE FIRE.

BASE BALL.

New Bedford is certainly to have a strong independent ball team this season, composed principally of collegians and conducted after the style of the independent teams which represented that city a number of years ago.

A number of gentlemen who were interested in the old independent team are behind the movement and Olympic field in the Whale City will be leased from its owners.

Thomas J. Brady, the Brown player, of New Bedford, will captain and manage the team. Already he is after players and some of them whom he has on his string who are quite certain to play there are John Gammons of New Bedford, who, when he was on the Brown team, made a fine reputation as a ball player; Ed. Robinson, another Brown player and a pitcher; Albert Rodman, a Brown first baseman; Walter Curley, Georgetown University, second baseman; Harry Kelley, Tufts, catcher; and Crolius, captain of the Dartmouth team.

Brady, Gammons, Robinson and Rodman were four of the Brown team of 1896, which held the undisputed title of college champions, not losing a single championship game that year.

There will probably be one or two other local men on the team. As soon as Olympic field can be put in good condition Manager Brady will invite local aspirants to participate on the field, and will pick one or two men from these candidates. The field will have a grass diamond this season, and as soon as it is rolled will be in better shape than it ever was before.

The season will be opened with a game Decoration Day morning and after that date home games will be played twice a week, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Independent ball is the only kind that has ever been successful in New Bedford, and the outlook seems bright for another good season.

There will be an unusually large number of strong independent teams in the field this summer, including the Attleboros, North Attleboros, Newton Athletics and Carters of Franklin.

Lajoie is playing an excellent second base for the Quakers, says the New York Herald.

In its seven years of existence it is figured the net profits of the 12 club league have been $1,500,000, while $1,500,000 has been paid out in salaries.

It looks rather odd to see the name of St. Louis leading all the rest of the league clubs. It is likewise a little irregular to see Boston in the middle of the list. The players of Manager Selee's club seem to be repeating last season's start, and the Boston supporters are making predictions now as to whether they will show a similar burst of speed a little later in the season.

Mike Birmingham has joined the Mansfield, Ohio, club.

Manager Burnham of Brockton has added to his list of players a catcher whose name is Hugh Kellackey, and is also in a fair way to get Clancy, his shortstop of last year, this season. Bill Day, who is living at Newport News, Va., has been heard from and is likely to be one of the nine. The team is expected to report Monday.

The New England League will be a fine thing without doubt. Manager Moore of the Taunton team has been sick a week with erysipelas and it must be that he spent his time reading over the town records of Raynham, for he found out somewhere that Ezra Lincoln was still among the notables residing there. Ezra still thinks he can pitch, and he has allowed this opinion to induce him to make an agreement to pitch five games for the Tauntons. It is safe to say that he will not be asked to finish out his agreement.—New Bedford Mercury.

Doch of Georgetown university, must be awarded the palm as the great college pitcher of the year, having twirled successfully against Harvard, Yale, Pennsylvania and Princeton. He has received a very tempting offer from the Milwaukee Western League club.

Manager Smith of Portland has secured from the Reading club of the Atlantic league, Holmes and Outfielder Spratt. Holmes is a new man to the league, but is said to be a very fast young catcher. Spratt last year ranked as one of the best fielders of the Atlantic league, playing all the season with the Reading club, which finished third in the league race.

Tessier, who pitched for the Mathews last year, will play with the Cambridge team of the New England league.

"Billy" Connors, who has made a reputation with the Emeralds has been signed to play with the Newports of the New England league. His friends expect him to make a good showing.

The Mathews are playing in Brockton this afternoon. Gunley and McCarthy of Lowell are playing with the Brocktons.

The Textile team and the Lowell Press are playing at the Fair Grounds this afternoon.

On next Saturday the Fair grounds will be the scene of what promises to be as fine an exhibition of base ball as could be desired. The contesting teams will be the South Ends and the strong Boston University team and the relative merit of both teams is the criterion on which judgement is taken.

The South Ends will place their strongest team upon the diamond as they are anxious to win the first game and also to have the distinction of defeating a crack college team.

The Boston University team will most likely have its star twirler, Robinson in the box against the South Ends. The latter team however is determined to win and it makes no difference who does the twirling, the local team feels confident that the termination of the game will see them victorious. The attendance should be large at next Saturday's game as Lowell base ball enthusiastics did fair to receive that which they have always clamored for—good clean and fast base ball. On Saturday May 18 another good game will be played as most likely the Tufts college team will be the opponents of the South Ends on that day. The Peabody A. C. had been looked for that day, but the management of the local team will endeavor to transfer that game to the 29th. inst. The Tufts college team wrote to the South Ends last Friday desiring to come to Lowell on the above date and the base ball public will most likely see Sammy Curran who pitched for the South Ends last year go to against his old companions on the Fair grounds May 13. From appearances now Lowell will see some fast base ball playing this season and the public should accord the liberal patronage the game deserves. Next Saturday's game will start at 3 o'clock sharp and William F. Thornton will officiate as umpire. The South Ends' battery will be announced later.

Pete Reagan will play short stop for the South Ends in their game with Boston University on Saturday.

The Newtowne club of Cambridge will probably play at the Fair grounds Saturday, June 3rd.

The South Ends will play a return game with the Peabody team at Peabody, June 10. The crack Attleboro team which defeated New England league teams shall perhaps be seen in Lowell at the Fair grounds Saturday, May 27th.

The South Ends shall it is thought play a benefit game for some local charitable institution in a few weeks. The game will be played on a Saturday at the Fair grounds.

The Boston University team should prove a great attraction at the Fair grounds next Saturday. Jimmy Sines will do the catching for the South End team in the Boston University-South End game, Saturday.

The South Ends are booking some fine teams for games in Lowell.

The Volunteers have organized for the season of 1899 and are now ready to play any team under 14 years of age. Send all challenges to John Riley 37 Fulton street. The players are as follows: J. Riley, c, manager; W. Golden, p, captain; J. Lynch, 1b; J. Kennedy, ss; C. Slowey, 2b; O. Bryne, 3b; James Riley, lf. J. Greely, cf; J. Quinn, rf.

FRANK STEWART

GENIAL MANAGER OF "BROTHER FOR BROTHER" A WAR VETERAN.

There were but few of the numerous Lowell acquaintances of Manager Frank Stewart of the "Brother for Brother" company, which had a very successful run in Music Hall recently, that knew that he has just returned from a hard campaign in the Philippines. Mr. Stewart was with the Astor battery in the Manila blvouacs, and marches and was engaged in several of the most important battles in that vicinity.

COLORED BAPTISTS

WILL HOLD CONVENTION IN HAVERHILL FROM MAY 18 TO 21.

The fourth convention of the Colonial Baptist association, composed of colored Baptist churches of New England will convene this year in the Calvary Baptist church in Haverhill from May 18 to 21. The officers are Rev. W. Ryan, president; Rev. W. Holland, vice president; Rev. Johnson W. Hill, secretary; Rev. Walter Day, corresponding secretary; Rev. A. W. Adams, Rev. A. C. Powell, Rev. Leroy J. Montague, Rev F. G. W. Fowlks, and Rev. B. W. Farris, executive committee.

The convention will be opened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, May 18.

The churches which will be represented are:

Immanuel, New Haven; Macedonia, Ansonia, Ct., Calvary, Norwich; Congdon street, and Ebenezer, Providence; Union, Pawtucket; Ebenezer and St. Paul, Boston; Zion, Lynn; John street, Worcester; Calvary, Haverhill; St. John, Woburn; Shiloh, West Medford; Baptist Mission, Winchester; Peoples' Portsmouth. Lowell colored people have no church of their own here but a number of the colored sisters and brothers of the Spindle city have expressed their intentions of being present at the coming convention in Haverhill.

HERMANN SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRESLAU May 3—The trial of Herrman, charged with the murder of his three wives whose bodies he was said to have walled up in a cellar, was concluded here yesterday. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment and 10 years' loss of civil rights.

In addition to the murder of his wives Herrmann was charged with having caused the death of his 12 children, who all died young.

TEN DAYS' CONVENTION.

A ten days' convention was begun at the Wesley church in Runels' hall, last evening, a very large audience being present. The principal speaker at the meetings will be Rev. William Howard Whipple of Brooklyn.

FIFTEENTH BIRTHDAY.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer celebrated their fifteenth birthday at the home of their parents, No. 28 O'Connell street, Monday evening. The time was pleasantly passed with games and vocal and instrumental music.

Mrs. McNamee of Stackpole street has been entertaining her niece, Mrs. Chester Wallace of Littleton, N. H.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

A PLEASANT, SIMPLE, BUT SAFE AND EFFECTUAL CURE FOR IT.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied with sour of watery risings, a formation of gases causing a pressure on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing; headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played-out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surface of the stomach. To secure prompt and healthy digestion is the one thing necessary to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet composed of Diastase, Aseptic, Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and Fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Boober, of 2710 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrance of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge there from passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure but today I am the happiest of men afterusing only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use.

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ARMORY MATTERS

DRILL OF THE AMBULANCE CORPS LAST EVENING.

At the armory last evening the Ambulance Corps had a drill preparatory to the competitive drill of the corps which will be held in Boston in the near future. Company G also had its weekly drill.

The second game in the military tournament at the armory alleys last evening resulted in a victory for Team Two of Company C by 65 pins. Captain Carr was the only man to pass the 500 mark, he having a total of 508 and a single string of 210. Captain Greig also passed 200 for a single. The score:

Team Two, Co. C.				
Richardson	177	129	134	440
Berry	153	123	119	394
Greig	135	165	206	506
Fuscuf	185	168	144	497
Kelsey	128	152	168	448
Totals	778	727	770	2275
Team Two, Co. G.				
Gale	160	126	151	443
Carr	138	219	100	507
F. Hunton	96	132	137	365
Jones	134	156	156	446
L. Hunton	149	177	123	449
Totals	653	801	726	2210

FILIPINO JUNTA

SAYS AGUINALDO DENIES CONNECTION WITH PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—Representatives of the Filipino junta say they have received a telegram from Aguinaldo dated April 30th, in which he states that his government has nothing to do with the present peace negotiations, which, he asserts are being conducted by a group of half casts and creoles who are anxious for peace in the expectation of getting high offices under a new government. Several of these men, Aguinaldo says, are members of the Filipino congress, where they are endeavoring to out-vote him. Aguinaldo added that he had had no direct negotiations with the Americans since the fall of Malolos, when certain proposals passed between Dr. D. C. Worcester of the American Philippine commission and a representative of Aguinaldo looking to a peace based upon independence with an American alliance.

Aguinaldo disavows the present negotiations and adds that under no circumstances will he accept an American protectorate. The dispatch concludes with a contemptuous reference to Major Arguelles as a Spanish officer who has no more authority to act on behalf of Aguinaldo than has Luna himself.

NINTH ANNIVERSARY

OF COURT SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN OBSERVED LAST EVENING.

Court Samuel de Champlain, F. of A. observed its ninth anniversary last evening with a whist party and dance, which was held in Foresters' hall. There was a large attendance and a general good time was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Whist was commenced at 8.45 and concluded shortly before 10 o'clock. At the conclusion of the whist playing, dancing was begun and was enjoyed until after midnight. The winners at whist were awarded suitable prizes. The committee in charge of the affair was as follows: General manager, George Labrie, assistant, J. B. Hurtubise; floor marshal, Henri Chaput; assistant, J. Napoleon Cote; aids, Alphonse Gaudette, Edmonde Lambert, Alphonse Valterand, Damasse Naud; reception committee, Misael Martin, chairman; Fred Rocheville, Thomas Caille, Joseph Boudreau, Onesime Grondine, Geo. Baril, Hermidas Valterand, Dolphis Giroux, Eugene Boudreau, Frank Brassard, Edmond Ducharme, Euclide Monbleau, Hubert Gregoire.

SPAIN'S $20,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.— Acting on cable instructions from the governor of the bank of Spain at Madrid, the French ambassador, M. Cambon, has completed arrangements for the transferring to Spain the $20,000,000 received from the United States. The first treasury warrant of $5,000,000 will be delivered to the National city bank on the 4th instant and the next two warrants for $10,000,000 on the tenth instant. M. Taigny acting first secretary of the French embassy, will leave Washington tomorrow with the first $5,000,000 warrant. M. Beeuve of the embassy staff, will take the next two warrants for $10,000,000 leaving here next week, in time to deliver them on the 10th. The Spanish authorities have made no arrangement for receiving the last warrant for $5,000,000. The entire cost will be about $40,000 to $50,000 before the change is complete.

NO LOAFERS ALLOWED

General Agent Haseltine of Haverhill has established an ironclad rule at the B. & M. depot in that city, which will probably not be broken. Loafers will not be tolerated about the premises and those who have been in the habit of using the gents' waiting room as a loitering place will be obliged to seek new fields. The loafers are warned by the agent to "get out" and if they are caught hanging around the second time a ride in the "hurry up" will be the result.

Oysters are gone, but mackerel are due.

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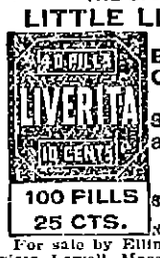
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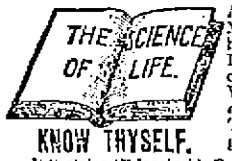
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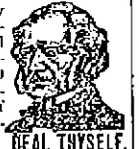
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ANNUAL RECEPTION

OF E. LINCOLN NOWELL'S PUPILS

E. Lincoln Nowell's annual reception and exhibition was held in Prescott hall last night and about 50 couples attended. Preceding the dance was the exhibition which gave opportunity for some very graceful and pleasing work. The grand march was led by Master Allen Daw and Miss Florence Parkin. The pupils and the dances in which they appeared were as follows:

Jolly Jack—Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Louise McOsker, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Hoole, Emma McOsker, Blanche Umpleby, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Paul McOsker, Master Hans Borjes, Master Will Sawyer, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Fanny Sawyer.

Irish Washerwoman—Louise McOsker; Emma McOsker.

Stars and Stripes—Carrie Tyrrell.

Fauntleroy—Elsie Umpleby, Elsa Lofgren, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Gilbert Beane,

Gavotte—Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Hoole, May Beane, Louise McOsker, Master Paul McOsker, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Will Borjus, Master Hans Borjes.

The aids were Alfred A. Cutting, Robert W. Thomson, George W. Gilman, Sidney M. Whitman.

ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

BRILLIANT CONCERT AT ASSOCIATE HALL LAST EVENING.

The Lowell Orchestral society closed its season with a complimentary concert given to the honorary members and their friends at Associate hall last evening. The program for the orchestra was selected by the honorary members and included a number of the most popular pieces played by the society during the season, all of which were rendered with accuracy and precision and in a manner to gratify their warmest supporters. Miss Jennie Cogan, the popular soprano soloist, appeared in a number of selections and added new laurels to her already secure reputation. Mr. W. E. McPherson of Boston, a basso of the first order, captured the audience with his selections which were given in a masterly style. His popularity in Lowell is henceforth assured. Miss Mary Harrington, a pupil of Prof. Borjes, made her first appearance in public and performed De Beriot's Fantasia ballet in four difficult movements. The first three movements she played in a way that captivated the audience and demonstrated that she has talent of a high order and remarkable skill for her years. At the end of the third movement, the ushers, supposing that it was the termination of the piece created something of a sensation by rushing to the stage with flowers. This unfortunate incident which she failed to comprehend, together with the excessive heat and intense excitement for one so young, overcame Miss Harrington so that she became quite nervous. Had she terminated her selection with the third movement, it would under the circumstances have been much easier for her, but she pluckily played the piece to the end and retired amid the most generous applause from the audience. The Citizen this morning in speaking of Miss Harrington's performance says: "She handled her bow with skill and precision, showing excellent promise for so youthful a musician," and added: "Her friends have reason to believe that she will reap success in the future." The Mail in speaking of her performance says: "She is a promising young amateur, and gave a very clever performance of this difficult selection in spite of the difficulty engendered by a first appearance."

Mr. Fleet, as accompanist, acquitted himself in a most creditable manner, giving entire satisfaction to the soloists and the audience.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

AND CONCERT AT THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

A large audience was present last evening at the First Universalist church to listen to a fine concert program. A phonograph in charge of Mr. H. H. Battye added greatly to the length of the program and also to the enjoyment of the audience. The records were very fine and the tones came pure and true. Miss Ruth Crawford in a number of selected reading, was a popular contributor to the evening's pleasure and received deserved encores.

Winsome Nellie Studley sang herself into the good graces of the audience who was so delighted with her sweet rendition of popular melodies that it applauded her to the encore and verily would have kept her singing yet if the people composing it had had their own way. The program in full follows:

Phonograph selections—Metropolitan solo, Ben Bolt; Zither serenade.

Reading by Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Sleighride Party, Mocking Bird, Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders.

Reading of Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Holy City, Hot Corn, Piccolo solo, Annie Laurie, Suwanee river.

Soprano solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections, Georgia camp-meeting, Skylark polka, On Board the Oregon, Patrol Comeque, Cornfield Melody.

Solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections: Zylophone solo, Dancing on the Barn Floor, Golden Harp, Same Old Smile, Marching Through Georgia.

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GIRLS' EDUCATION

Discussed By Miss Alice Freeman Palmer

BEFORE THE HIGHLAND WOMENS' CLUB.

Closer Attention to Schoolroom Sanitation.

A very interesting and instructive lecture was delivered yesterday afternoon before the Highland Women's club by Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer of Cambridge. Her subject was "The Education of Girls." The hall was filled and Mrs. Palmer was listened to by the large audience with great attention. Mrs. Palmer particularly spoke of the great responsibility that rests on American mothers now, compared with that of 10 years ago. She quoted statistics showing that there are 25 occupations in which girls are now engaged to the one occupation of 40 years ago, and said that this was the chief cause of the increase of women's responsibility.

Entering into her discourse, Mrs. Palmer said in part: "Our greatest responsibility is the training of girls for future endeavors and that training must be done in the school, the church and the home. We must set the standard and educate the girls in accordance with the change that has taken place in the last two score years.

"There is no question that arises that the girl as well as the boy should not be familiar with. We must teach them what makes patriotism, loyalty, cleanliness and good municipal government.

"Men and women are comrades and they have an equal responsibility, though I sometimes think that the woman's responsibility, as far as the training of the young mind is concerned, is greater than the man's. There are about 13,000 public school teachers in the United States; only 1050 are men and the majority of the congregations of our churches are women. There is one idea that appears to have gained an unwarranted hold upon the public mind and that is, that the education of the boy or girl depends upon the chances afforded after he or she is 16 years old. This is a mistake. The manner of life, customs, disposition, etc., generally take root before the child arrives at that age, and if there is anything to be impressed it must be done while the disposition is yet easily moulded.

"There is nothing impossible with a New England girl; they are the souls of enthusiasm, interest, inspiration. I once heard the late Frances Willard break out in the middle of an address to the Wellesley College girls and exclaim: 'Oh, girls! how glad I am you are alive; that you are so much alive.' I am indeed glad to think that the New England girl is so very much alive that all they need is the proper training of ideals, aims and education. Some fathers and mothers are so very, very good and kind to their children, that if the latter are at all obedient and good natured they think that is all required of them, that the natural course of events will teach them the rest. No need for me to comment upon this opinion of so many kind fathers and mothers any more than to say that they are wrong. Girls should go to college earlier than at the age of 16, for their minds are in better condition to be trained at an earlier age.

"The struggle is doubly hard, no doubt, for some girls on account of poor training and inherited difficulties but there is no New England girl that enters college that cannot overcome all that may lie in her way in the line of difficulties.

"To have the girls strong and healthy should be the chief aim, and we as women should see to it that the schools, the church and the home have the proper ventilation and insist upon it that the girls shall have the proper out-door exercise. It used to be that the girl of delicate constitution and nervous temperament was the ideal girl, but those days have passed. The ideal girl of today is the strong, healthy girl, healthy in mind and body and pure of spirit. We do not want to see the building of asylums and places of refuge constantly going on for the stowing away of the flower of American womanhood; and in order to avoid it we must see to it that the conditions surrounding our girls are congenial to health and we must begin in the kindergarten and in the home. We must create in the mind of the child a love for all that is natural and beautiful and it must be done before the child has gone beyond the years that accept Love's teachings. Give your daughters simple pleasure and enough of it, but never for a moment forget your responsibility.

"It is possible to educate the child to speak as fluently and accurately with the brush and with the pencil as he or she can talk. I have been a teacher for 32 years and I know that this is so. We are a very masterful people and we should apply our power."

After the lecture there was an informal tea and the ladies who poured were Mrs. L. H. Swift, Mrs. Ralph A. Day of Lawrence, Misses Juliette Carter and Julia Povey. Misses Hanson, Foss and Stevens assisted in passing, and frappe was served by Mrs. Frederick Farnham, Mrs. Frank Stowell with Miss Lyman and Miss Cheney for assistants.

Dr. Mitchell says in difficult cases of Anemia, he adds cod-liver oil half an hour after each meal and he likes to use it in an emulsion; that he has watched with growing surprise some listless, feeble, creature gathering flesh, color and wholesomeness of mind and body from this treatment.

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Licenses granted:

Intelligence offices, Sarah Bates, 116 Middlesex; Allison Moore, 44 Central.

Junk collectors, Harris Felnberg, 252 Aiken avenue; Derby Courey, rear 25 Winter.

Second hand dealer, Israel Nannis, 332 Middlesex.

Junk dealer, Samuel Cohen, 20 Howard.

Pool and billiards, Wm. H. Bell, 349 Central; Michael J. Bruin, 498-504 Middlesex.

Fish wagon, George M. Teel, 147 Warwick.

To sell pure alcohol, Chas. E. Adams, 401 Middlesex; C. B. Coburn & Co, 63 Market; Talbot, D. C. & Co., 40 Middle.

Express wagons, Henry Pratt, 27 Phillip; Prime Decoteau, 167 Salem; (new), American Express Co, Market and Central, 10 Wagons; Alfred Gleddy, 647 Merrimack; John B. Hanley, 7 Merrill, 2 wagons; (new) Boston and Lowell Express, Jackson street, 8 wagons.

Innholder, Michael J. Bruin, St. Lawrence hotel, Middlesex and Edward.

Common Victuallers—Georgianna Dignon, 122 Middlesex; Emily W. Armstrong, 46 Shafor; Kate F. Fox, 78-80 Newhall; Charles H. Bennett, 261 Pawtucket; Russell McDonald, 1641 Middlesex; John McHarrell, 253 Middlesex; Eusebe Asselin, 494 Moody, Wolford N. Gilbert, 100 Andrew; Hannah Hurley, 394 Market; Ellen J. Henry, 18 Runels' place; Mary Saxe, 79 Appleton; Alphonse Dilleville, 304 Moody; George Xanthantes, 213 Merrimack; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Jackson and Central; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Second and Bridge; Anastasio Loomis, 464 Market; Agnes Mulhehr, 41 Franklin; Louis Dubec, 476 Merrimack; Mary Kerrigan, 3 Jewett street; Kate Gordon, 615 Middlesex; William J. Burbeck, Gorham and Middlesex; Annie Laughton, 744 Merrimack; Joseph Laferriere, 38 Hanover; James S. Davis, 359 Middlesex; Margaret McEachran, 58 Lee; John Leary, 376 Central; John P. Upton, 508 Rogers; Susie E. Barnet, 5 and 6 Mass. Corp.; David Laferriere, Boulevard and Ferry road; Edward O'Connor, 321 Dawrence; Prosper Milot, 42 and 44 Lee; Frank M. Spicer, 749 Middlesex; George Dugare, 301 Moody; Flora Beinrel, 220 Chelmsford; Adele Morin, 22 Lee; Lydia M. Schoolcraft, Moody and Prince; Mrs. Thomas H. Husband, 2 Davis square; Margaret O'Brien, 405 School.

Pawnbroker bond of T. H. Kelly & Co., accepted, approved and placed on file.

Leave to withdraw granted on the following petitions:

Common victualler: Frank W. Phillips, 48 Cross; S. S. Cunningham & Co., 918 Gorham; Darwin L. Phillips, 17 Chelmsford; E. J. McHugh, 695 Gorham; D. E. Ready, 771 Broadway; Thomas Dibak, 136 Dutton; Arthur Desjardines, 70 Cheever; Bridget Faulkner, 72 Jefferson; Margaret Rowan, 50 Concord; John McGovern, 146 Concord; Walter Booth, 73 East Merrimack; Ellen E. Sears, 32 Fifth avenue; Kate Hartwell, 28 White; Grace A. Hanson, 832 Lakeview avenue; Bergeron & Savard, 207 Mammoth road.

Express wagons, Abney Lovering, 91 Manchester; Geo. H. Scovel, 143 Forest; Louis Tanguey, 266 Hall.

Licenses granted

Hawker and peddler, Head & Frye, Jackson; Meyer Klein, 119 Howard; Lewis E. Small, Tewsbury; Wm. J. Hart, 58 Jewett.

Common victualler, Henry Carpenter, 942 Salem; John Donohue, 412 Suffolk; James W. Grady, 140 Worthen; Frank St. Onge, 615 Merrimack; Annie Kelly, 799 Princeton; Maurice W. Howen, 306 Moody; Hermidas Arvisas, 71 Cabot; Edward Chapnars, 240 Moody; Joseph Lagnese, 2 Carter's block, Lakeview avenue; Treffle Bombardir, 12 Lakeview avenue; Thomas Murphy, 379 Middlesex; Chas. Johnson, Jr., 3 Mammoth road; Patrick Brady, 175 Chapel; Arthur Hall, Fifth and Bridge; Lizzie Mylotte, 227 Hildreth; Agnes Redhead, 33 Salem; Roseta Wood, 32 Branch.

Pawnbroker, T. H. Kelly & Co., 392 Middlesex.

Leave to withdraw:

Common victualler, Bernard McManus, 475 Lawrence; John Roberts, 456 Lawrence; Peter F Quinn, 35 Concord; Winifred Tomey, 53 Concord; Geo. S. Holt, 10 Cross; Margaret Clinton, 59 Marion.

Monthly bills approved.

The employes of the Franklin Dickey, the new proprietor with two handsome floral pieces on his arrival from Lowell, Monday.

WOOLEN SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union was held in Day State hall last night. Twelve candidates were initiated and 35 propositions were accepted. Spinners were present from all the local mills. It is expected that many more spinners in Lowell will join the union before its next meeting. The election of officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be held the first Tuesday in June.

The marriage is announced of Miss Carolyn M. Gould of Branch street and Frederick M. Wilder of Brownville, Me. No cards.

Sorosis Shoes for Women. We are Sole Agents for Lowell. Full Line Sizes, New Lasts.

BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.

Some Seasonable Bargains in BELTS, TRMIMED SAILOR HATS, PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, FLOWER SEEDS, WINDOW SCREENS, etc.

Grand Opening Sale of Parasols and Sun Umbrellas This Week, Commencing Today. Low Prices.

BELTS.

Kid Belts in black and colors, 15 Cents Each

Ladies' Belts in Kid and Leather, all shades, 19 Cents Each

Our line of belts at 25c is superb, 25 Cents Each

This is an odd price. The belts are worth 50c, 35 Cents Each

At 49c we have seal, calf and fancy leather belts, 49 Cents Each

Special Sale of Flower Seeds in our Basement. L. L. May's Celebrated Seeds, Warranted, 1c. a p'kg. This Week Only.

Sailor Hats, Walking Hats, Shapes.

We have recently bought (in fact, just marked off), several sample lots of fine Millinery, scarcely two pieces or Hats alike, at one-third regular prices. We will place the goods on sale today, if possible, at prices unheard of in the history of hats and bonnets. We mention 3 items here in hats. There are hundreds of others.

Ladies' Sailor Hats, (White Only), 19 Cents

Ladies' fine grade straw shapes, in all colors and black, 25 Cents

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors and Shapes, all new shades, etc., 49 Cents

HOSIERY DEPT.

We have the best makes of hose made represented in our vast stock. We also buy from American manufacturers. Here's two case lots:

4c. a Pair

1 case ladies' black hose, 8c. a Pair

CHIFFON.

In connection with the great sale of millinery we will sell another lot of fine silk muslin chiffons at a price unheard of in all America, viz.:

10c. a Yard

Not more than 12 yards to a customer.

GLOVE DEPT.

Just made a big hit on a purchase of high grade Kid Gloves (all on account of warm weather).

1st lot "R" regular dollar gloves, in all colors, button, lacing and clasp 79 Cents

2nd lot high grade Kid Gloves, new embroideries, etc., $1.00

Door and Window Screens, Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers

WINDOW SCREENS.

One lot of window screens in hard wood, adjustable, 19 Cents Each

One lot of window screen, extra large, adjustable, 25 Cents Each

SCREEN DOORS.

We expect our screen doors in tomorrow, don't buy a door until you see ours and the prices. 75c. Upwards

OIL STOVES.

Extra large 2 burner oil stoves, 89 Cents

Extra large 4 burner oil stove, $1.79

Ice Cream Freezers. Alaska Freezer. (Made by the White Mountain Co.)

2 quart size $1.39, 3 quart size $1.69, 4 quart size $1.98 Every freezer warranted

See our millinery in windows today or tomorrow for specimen bargains—which will be on sale but cannot last longer than this week at the prices named.

The Bon Marche Dry Goods Company

Sorosis Shoes for Women. We are Sole Agents.

A Perfect Blood Purifier

The same wonderful properties that render "True's Elixir" so highly efficacious in expelling worms from the system make it a perfect cleanser of the blood. As a SPRING MEDICINE, no Sarsaparilla is so highly effective. TRUE'S ELIXIR acts AT ONCE! It expels all waste and extraneous matter; leaves the blood rich and pure, giving health and new life to the whole system!

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TRUE'S ELIXIR Restores Lost Appetite, Cleanses the System, Expels Impurities, Enriches the Blood

Under the New Management of the Dress Goods and Domestic Departments COOK, TAYLOR & CO, Central Street are to Inaugurate a

Grand Clearance Sale

For THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. The sale will include the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods and Domestics. We had intended to hold this sale a week earlier, but the rush of business and the amount of work necessary in remarking and re-arranging so large a stock has caused delay. But this delay will give you the advantage of buying from five or six cases of New WashGoods bought the past week.

Dress Goods Dept.

We are determined to make a clean sweep in this department during this month. We have been through the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Novelties, etc., and put such low prices on them that we hope to virtually close out the whole stock of Crepons, Henriettas, Serges, Cheviots, Poplins, India Twills, Coverts, Novelties, Mixtures, Mohairs, Sicilians, Plaids, Broadcloths and Heavy Suitings.

We're not spare to mention prices, but simply say that every yard, every piece of Dress Goods has been marked down to prices that ought and will sell them at once.

Come and Save Money.

Wash Goods and Domestics.

1 lot of 19c. Organdie Muslins, only 10c.
1 lot of 15c. Printed Wash Goods, Lace Effect ..... Only 12 1-2c. yard
1 Solid Case of Printed Lace Lawns, a big bargain ..... At 5c. yard.
1 lot of Corded Madras Ginghams, in Plaids and Stripes .. Only 25c. yard.
1 case of 27-inch Dress Ginghams regular 12c. Goods.... Only 12 1-2c. yard
1 Case of Fancy Dress Gingham, Plaids and Stripes ..... Only 9c. yard
1 case of Corded Dimities, beautiful styles ..... Only 15c. yard
1 lot of corded Dimities, all new styles ..... Only 12 1-2c. yard
1 case of Printed P. K. all new designs ..... Only 10c. yard

Our Basement Dept. is a Busy Place.

We Offer in This Department

1 case of Staple Apron Ginghams, ... At 5c. yard.
1 Case of Best Prints, light and dark effects ..... Only 4c. yard
Fruit of Loom 4-4 Bleached Cotton, ... Only 6 1-4c. yard
2 bales of Continental 4-4 Cotton, ... Only 5c. yard
100 dozen Honey Comb Towels ..... Only 4c. each.
More than 100 pieces of crash to be closed out in our basement. Prices from ..... 3 to 12 1-2c. yard

Basement.

(Continued.)

1 lot of 75c. Crochet Bed Spreads, Great Bargain ..... 50c.
Best Outing Flannel ..... Only 6 1-4c.
500 yards of Best Turkey Red Damask, (39 and 49c. goods) fast colors, only, ... 20c.
And hundreds of other bargains.

We got altogether too many pieces of Table Linen. We have marked down every piece, to close at once.

We also have about one hundred dozen linen Napkins that must go at a great sacrifice. A rare chance for housekeepers.

Linen Towels.

Hundreds of dozens of Linen Towels in Huck and Damask all marked down.

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Sheetings, all widths and all grades, at greatly reduced prices. Also special mark down prices on Sheets and Pillow Cases.

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Easy to Cook,
Easy to Eat,
Easy to Digest.
Quaker Oats
At all grocers
In 2-lb. pkgs. only

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There are three afternoon papers besides The Sun in Lowell. Take the combined circulation of these three papers, then double it and The Sun would still lead the lot in circulation. It is Lowell's greatest newspaper.

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SIX O'CLOCK.

HIS LOVE GREW COLD

Alleges Pretty Rose Crane Against P. J. Riley.

Interesting Breach of Promise Suit on Trial in Superior Court—Plaintiff Had Begun to Get Her Wedding Gown—Testimony Refreshingly Free From Sensational Features.

The Riley case which was begun yesterday noon in superior court is on again today and will take all day and perhaps a portion of tomorrow's time.

The opening testimony of the case as appeared in yesterday's edition of The Sun will appear on page 5 of today's. The later testimony with the plaintiff, Miss Crane, on the stand is as follows:

"In July we went to Nantasket beach on Sunday. Mr. Riley hired a conveyance and we drove over the Jerusalem road. We had a tintype taken at Nantasket."

Here the tintype was produced, and the jurors inspected it individually.

"On July 4 we went to an outing at Long Pond, my two sisters accompanying us. We drove there in Mr. Riley's carryall. We stayed there all day" continued the witness.

"On August, 1898, we went to Lynn in a carryall and two horses owned and driven by Mr. Riley. My younger sister was with us. We arrived there in the afternoon. We stopped at the Nahant House. Mr. Riley stayed there over Sunday. We all spent Sunday evening at the Nahant House. He left Monday and returned Wednesday evening and spent the evening with me. We met him on the beach the following day and we all went in bathing. I left Lynn Friday noon as my sister was ill. On the Monday night following he called at the house and we went to ride through Chelmsford. We went to the fete on the Butler grounds and stayed there until 12 o'clock. I think there were about 1000 people there.

"After my return from the beach he took me to a lawn party in the Oaklands. Mr. Riley asked me to go to Palmer with him. My chum, Miss Maguire was in Palmer. He had business in Springfield and wanted me to stay in Palmer while he was at Springfield. I went to Palmer on a Thursday evening in August. When we got to the depot we found that we could not make connections as Mr. Riley's brother informed us on the train. Then we went to Lynn and stayed with Mr. Riley's brother's folks that night. I slept with Mr. Riley's daughter.

The next morning we started for Palmer and arrived there at 11 o'clock. We started on Wednesday instead of Thursday and went to Palmer on Thursday, leaving there on Friday afternoon. We had dinner with Miss Maguire's folks, after which he went to Springfield but returned that night. After that, we went to Glen Forest a few times.

LOVE GREW COLD.

"After our trips to Glen Forest, I noticed a change in him. He didn't call as often as formerly and I noticed the change in a great many ways. I didn't say anything to him about it. On Sept. 28 he did not call for the first Wednesday since we had been going together. He called the following Saturday and said he was going to Manchester, Sunday. I insisted on his not going and he said he would put it off until next Sunday and he took me out riding on that Sunday. On the Sunday of October 2 he did not call having told me during the week that he was going to Manchester.

"When he did call I heard he was calling on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere. I asked him if he had called on a young lady on Pleasant street, Belvidere, on that Wednesday night. He said he had as they were old friends of his, and he had been invited by a young lady named Miss Cullman. He said he didn't call there to see any one in particular and would not call again if it hurt my feelings.

"Then he told me that he was going to Manchester the following Sunday. I went to his house Sunday morning and found him in the house. When I asked him about Manchester he said he had lost his train. I told him that he had no intention of going there but was going to take a young lady to ride. He denied this and afterwards drove me home. He said he would call in the afternoon but did not call until evening. He said then that he had to look over his books in the afternoon.

"He called on me the following Thursday and I asked him why he didn't come on Wednesday and he didn't satisfy me with the explanation. I asked him if he had been on Pleasant street and he laughed it off. He denied having even been there Sunday afternoon.

"On the 16th of October we went to ride in the afternoon. He promised to call again in the evening but he didn't come. I went to his house and I asked him why he didn't call on Sunday and he said he didn't care to call. He then asked me if I came to see him, Miss O'Neil. I said I came to see him. He said he was going out and asked me to go out with him. We drove up School street and I waited in the carriage while he went into a house to see a friend. Then we went to Pawtucketville and returned at 10 o'clock. He promised to call on me the following Wednesday evening but did not. I went to his home the following night with a letter to leave for him. I found him there and told him that as long as he was there I would burn it. I put it in the stove and Mrs. O'Neil took it out. Mr. Riley looked in the stove and said I did not put it in. Mrs. O'Neil then gave it to me and I gave it to Mr. Riley. He said the reason he did not call the night before was because it rained too hard. I told him that he did go out and he only laughed.

He promised to call on me and explain himself. He didn't call that week and I went to his home and found him there. I asked him why he didn't call and he said he had business to attend to. I said he wasn't treating me right and he said he was. I accused him of keeping company with another young lady. He said that he had other places that he preferred to go before going to see me. When I started to go home, he said, 'you aren't going to leave me now?' I said: 'I am going home.' He said: 'You aren't going to take a man out in this rain!' Then we started out. When we were passing Bowers street he said that he was sorry he ever got me to leave Bowers street. I asked him if he remembered what he had said to me when I was leaving there and he began to sing me a love song. Later on I asked him why he was acting so and he didn't reply. Then I asked him if he was going to cast me off and he said he was going to break up housekeeping and go to live in a hotel and could call and see him. I told him I never would.'

"I then asked him if he remembered his promise and he said: Sometimes my yes means no. I am never going to get married. I must mend my ways."

"He told me then to get another fellow and no one would know whether I left him or he left me. I told him I would never get another fellow. Then he said: 'Well, I'll call on you and go around with you but I will never marry you.'

I asked him if he didn't mean anything when he was making love to me. He said: "Oh, no, weren't you ever in love before? That is nothing; you will get over it easy enough." I told him it was enough to drive anybody wild and he said that I wouldn't feel it long. He said he had been in love lots of times."

At this point the court adjourned until today.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

Court open at 9.30 this morning with a good sized audience and prior to the calling off the Crane-Riley case the court considered the motion of Mr. Qua in the Townsend case. This however, took up only a few minutes after which the plaintiff, Miss Crane, resumed the stand.

She testified: "When I told him I had left my work and that I could not go back, he said, 'You can go back all right; you'll get over that.' I told him that it was too late to talk like this. He must marry me and what he thought my folks would think. He said that they were only a pack of fools that he had made up his mind long ago using profane language and that he didn't care what they thought. He was not going to marry. Lots of girls he said, naming them, had told him that they loved him and he said he could have got married three years ago if he wanted to. He also said: 'You'll get over this all right.' Then he promised to call on me the following Sunday crossing his throat when he promised. He did not call. The following Tuesday, October 25, he came to the door and talked with her there. He would not come in and used profane language. This call was in response to a letter which I sent him on Monday.

That was the last time I saw him. He said there were threats in the letter I sent him.

A bunch of letters was produced at this point and the witness asked to point out the one written on October 24. It was not there.

Resuming her testimony Miss Crane said: "I asked him in the letter why he was treating me so terribly. I told him that I was near broken-hearted and could not stand it. Why should you ever let it come to this? Why didn't you tell me long ago? It was a long letter but I can't remember it all.

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THE MISSING MEN

Of Yorktown's Crew Believed to be Safe.

PROBABLY IN THE SPANISH LINES.

Names of Those at Insurgents' Quarters.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The following cablegram has been received from Admiral Dewey:

Manila, May 3, 1899.

Secretary of Navy, Washington:

The following are the Yorktown prisoners at insurgent headquarters at Santiandro: Lieut. Gilmore; Chief Quarter's mate, Paul Vandolt; Coxswain John Ellsworth; Apprentice Third class, Albert Peterson; Landsman Sylvio Brisolese, Landsman Lyman Paul Edwards and Landsman Fred Anderson. Provisions have been sent to them by Otis. I am continuing inquiries as to the fate of the other seven.

THE MISSING MEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The names of the men unaccounted for are as follows:

John Dillon, landsman; Charles Albert Morrissey, landsman; Ora B. McDonald, ordinary seaman; William H. Ryndera, coxswain; Orrison W. Woodbury, seaman of Lynn, Mass.; Denzell George Arville, apprentice; E. J. Nygard, gunners' mate.

It is said at the navigation bureau that there is every reason to believe that these missing sailors are not dead or at least not all of them. The naval officers here believe that some of the Yorktown's crew succeeded in making their way into the lines of the Spanish garrison at Baler where they would be well treated.

Admiral Dewey is now striving to get into communication with the garrison at Baler.

BUDGET SPEECH

DELIVERED BY THE MINISTER OF FINANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 3.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, delivered the budget speech in the House of Commons yesterday. The revenue for 1898 was $44,655,284 and the expenditures $3,832,385, leaving a surplus of $1,722,712. For the current year he said that the revenue would be $46,632,338, and the expenditures $42,020,028, showing a surplus of $4,500,000. The public debt had been increased by $2,500,000 during the past year, and there would be a further increase of about $1,700,000 this year. There would be, he stated, no changes in the tariff, but all inspection fees and all regulations except those necessary to insure safety in regard to coal oil will be abolished. Mr. Fielding stated that at the present time Canada was enjoying an unparalleled era of prosperity.

POLISH PRIEST DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, May 3.—The Rev. Vincent Barzynski, pastor of St. Stanislau's Catholic church, said to be one of the largest Polish congregations in the world outside of Warsaw, died last night of pneumonia.

BLOUSES

As it is our aim to make the Boys' Department one of the leaders of our large establishment, every week is marked by some unusual bargains in children's apparels. Our resources are practically inexhaustible.

Mothers can buy here with the absolute knowledge that quality for quality and price for price, they get the very best values in town. That's why our Boy's Clothing business gains new friends every day.

Just Received

From one of the best makers of Philadelphia, over 2500 Boys' and Children's blouses, in Fine Percale, Satine and Cheviot, trimmed and plain. Many new designs and effects; blouses that will stand wear and wash tub; not all blouses will do this. Also Fauntleroys in white and fancy. Or showing of Blouses is a fine one. The styles and low prices will not fail to charm every mother of boys.

15c., 25c., 39c., 49c., 50c., up to $1.38.

The weather is warming. Children will need straw hats. Our stock abounds with all the newest and best styles: 75 cases of straw hats of all kinds just opened.

Lowell One-Price Clothing Company.

72-86 MERRIMACK STREET.

OUT ON STRIKE

Four Hundred Machinists Left Their Work.

THEY WANT ADVANCE IN WAGES.

Management Failed to Recognize Their Request.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BIDDEFORD, Me., May 3.—Four hundred machinists employed at the Saco and Pette shops, have struck for advance of twenty per cent. in wages.

The Machinists' union presented its demand to the management of the shop some weeks ago and at a meeting held last evening it was voted that unless a decisive reply was received from the management before 9 o'clock today, all the members of the union should leave the shop. A committee of the union waited on the superintendent this morning and were told that until the work of taking account of stock and balancing the books of the concern for the six months ending April 30, was completed so as to show the condition of business, no decisive answer could be made to the demand for a twenty per cent. advance.

The superintendent gave assurances, however, that the case of each individual workman would be considered on its merits and wages would be paid accordingly. He said the schedule when revised, would take effect from May 1. Whether the revision would result in an advance of twenty per cent. was something that could not be definitely stated until the exact condition of business was determined. After receiving this answer, the committee went back to the shop and all the members of the union quit work and went out.

The foundry is running as usual, the moulders not being concerned in the strike, but there are only about 30 machinists left in the shop. These are non-union men.

The men claim that they were led to expect a decisive answer May 1, to their demand and that the strike is on account of the failure of the management to give them a satisfactory reply at this time.

SYNDICATE'S OFFER

WILL PAY $200 A SHARE FOR MILL STOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 3.—The price offered by the syndicate of fine yarn manufacturers for the stock of the New Bedford spinning company is said to be $200 per share. The total amount of yarn mill stock held by the New Bedford banks is about $450,000 a figure which is not sufficient in itself to give the proposed syndicate even a strong voice in the management of the concerns which it is said to desire to control. It will be necessary to secure much stock from individual owners and this may not prove to be an easy matter.

SLOAN UNPLACED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 3—At the second day's racing today, of the Chester meeting, Mr. Teddy's Uncle Mac (formerly North Allerton) won the Chester cup.

"Tod" Sloan rode Sir J. Miller's colt Galashields, but was unplaced.

A champion prize Cheshire cheese was given to the owners of first, second and third horses respectively.

The Duke of Westminster's Batt was second and Mr. G. H. Plummer's Carnation, third.

The betting was 4 to 1 against Galashields, 100 to 8 against Uncle Mac, 9 to 1 against Batt, and 100 to 8 against Carnation.

HARRY ADAMS CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—At the meeting of the executive council this morning, Harry F. Adams of Boston, was confirmed as police commissioner. There was no opposition. Governor Wolcott sent in the name of Charles H. Porter of Quincy to succeed Arthur Lord of Plymouth on the civil service commission. Mr. Lord resigned a few days ago.

COL. STINSON APPOINTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., May 3.—Col. Lysander H. Carroll of this city takes office tomorrow as labor commissioner of the state of New Hampshire, succeeding Julian F. Trask of Laconia, term expired. Col. Carroll announces the appointment as chief clerk of Col. William H. Stinson of Dunbarton, formerly connected with the National Department of Labor.

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AGUINALDO'S HAND

Shown By The Two Filipino Envoys

They Tell Otis That Their Leader Knows He Will be Overpowered and Therefore Wants "Peace With Dignity."

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 3.—The Filipino envoys, Major Arguelles and Lieut. Jose Dornal, have abandoned the pretense under which they came to General Otis that they represented General Antonio Luna and today they announced that they came as representatives of Aguinaldo himself. The two emissaries used their wiles to secure a reply from General Otis to the letter from Senor Halidi, Aguinaldo's prime minister of foreign affairs in the dictators' cabinet, which they presented to Gen. Otis, who refused to make any reply on the ground that to do so would be equivalent to a recognition of the so-called government of the Filipinos. Major Arguelles said that Aguinaldo knew he would be overpowered in time but that he would be able to continue the fight for months and that he would do so unless he were given what Major Arguelles termed peace with dignity.

Mr. Schurman, president of the United States Philippine commission, expresses the opinion that the interview accorded by General Otis to the Filipino envoys will have a good moral effect, as tending to convince Aguinaldo's representatives that the American authorities mean to give the Filipinos a good government and not one of the Spanish sort.

Certainly it has had a civilizing influence in inducing them to observe the amenities of war and to consent to the Americans furnishing food for American prisoners.

The exodus of the natives from the insurgent lines continues.

By filling in the roads where it was required, putting canoes on the rivers and plowing fields south of Malolos, the American army is in a fine position for the expected decisive blow.

General MacArthur has moved his headquarters to San Vincent, across the river Rio Grande. General Wheaton's brigade has advanced beyond Apalit. General Hale has returned to co-operate with General Lawton.

At Bulliog last evening there was a running fight in the course of which one American soldier was killed and rebels scattered before General Lawton and General Hale.

On yesterday while Captain Wheeler with a detachment of the Fourth cavalry, was covering General Hale's advance, he discovered a large body of rebels at Pulliam. The cavalry opened fire, but there was no response. Thinking that the rebels wanted to surrender, Lieut. Bell went forward to parley with them. The Filipinos replied that they did not wish to surrender, but that they had been ordered to refrain from fighting during the negotiations. They asked what Lieut. Bell wanted and in reply were given half an hour in which to retire, which they improved.

A Spanish prisoner who escaped to the American lines reports that after General Hale's advance on Quingan, two hundred Filipinos were buried. This is the largest number of rebels that have been killed in any engagement for several months.

OFFER MADE

FOR PURCHASE OF FALL RIVER YARN MILLS.

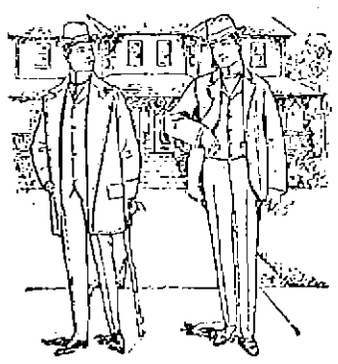
By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Mass., May 3.—Representatives of an English syndicate have made an offer for options upon the two yarn mills of this city. The directors are considering the offer but are not likely to submit it to the stockholders for some days. The course pursued by New Bedford will likely determine action here as expensive competition would likely follow should the trust secure New Bedford mills.

HAND CRUSHED.

Joseph Petky, an employe of the Boston & Maine railroad, had one of his hands badly crushed this afternoon while engaged in coupling cars. He was removed to St. John's hospital where it is feared that three fingers of the injured hand will have to be amputated.

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$3.95 TO $4.90 FOR SHORT TRAPPY TOP COATS, Coverts and Venetians, box backs that others sell for $8.00.

$7.98 FOR SMART COVERT COATS, Skinner satin sleeves, finely tailored, that cost $12.00 in other stores.

$13.45 FOR NATTY TOP COAT, short and boxy, far finer than the coats you'll find in other shops for $20.00.

$16.45 TO $24.50 FOR FINE VICUNAS and GEORGE KNIGHT'S imported black cheviots, full silk lined, elegantly tailored, our own make, and from Rogers, Peet & Co., can't be found elsewhere ready made. Tailors charge $25.00 to $40.00 for coats as good.

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The New Company Has a Wide Scope.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The Republican Steel and Iron company, whose capital is $55,000,000, filed incorporation papers in the county clerk's office in Jersey City today. It is divided into 550,000 shares of $100 each, and $25,000,000 of the capital is preferred stock, bearing 7 per cent. and payable quarterly. The incorporators were Thomas Mills Day, Jr., H. H. Durand, Edwin C. Holter and J. Treacy, all of Jersey City. The company can produce and deal in iron and steel and mine ores, construct and purchase the same so that water, gas and electricity may be utilized. Furthermore, the company can build railroads and operate canals.

GOLD YIELD

THE ESTIMATES RANGE FROM TWELVE TO TWENTY MILLIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Washington, May 3.—The largest estimates of the Klondike gold yield this season range from twelve to twenty millions. The Klondike Nugget of April 8, says: "The output has now been more than doubled so that it is now probable that the royalty will this year be paid on more than eight million dollars. Exemptions and evasions will give about double that amount as the production of the territory for the year ending in the summer of 1899. The primitive methods used in working the claims make it very unlikely that the wash-up will give more than from twelve to fifteen millions on the outside."

As compiled by the Midnight Sun this season's yield will be nearly twenty millions, distributed among the various creeks, including branches, as follows: Eldorado, $5,500,000; Bonanza, $5,000,000; Hunker, $3,000,000; Dominion, $3,000,000; Gold Run, $300,000; Sulphur, $500,000; Quarts, $250,000; Eureka, $250,000. All other creeks, including Stewart's Over, $1,500,000.

SENATOR CHANDLER

THINKS IT FOOLISH TO PROSECUTE ATKINSON AND HIS ASSOCIATES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Senator Chandler of New Hampshire, speaking today of the order prohibiting the sending of the literature of the anti-Imperialistic league to the Philippines said that in his opinion the sending of such literature was undoubtedly treasonable. "But I think it would be very foolish to prosecute Atkinson and his associates," said he. "The literature might have created dissension among our troops in the Philippines. That is all we cared about; but, with the prospect of peace we don't care much about that now."

DUMOND AMENDMENT FAVORED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—In the house today the amendment to the Dumond bill, which changes the bill to read, "1000 places shall be licensed" in the city of Boston, instead of "1000 licenses shall be granted," was rushed through to a third reading under a suspension of rules.

The committee on street railroads reported leave to withdraw on the petition of the Fitchburg and Suburban street railway for leave to extend its tracks and become a common carrier of freight.

COL. EGBERT'S BODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN GRANCISCO, May 3.—The body of Col. Harry C. Egbert, killed in a battle near Manila, which was brought home on the Sheridan will be buried in Arlington cemetery, Washington.

Major Field, inspector-general of the Department of California, brother-in-law of Mrs. Egbert, the widow, had charge of the remains and they were carried under escort of a guard of honor to the ferry depot and left on the evening train for the east.

FITZ-JEFFRIES BOUT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DENVER, Col., May 3.—Manager Otto Floto of the Colorado Athletic association says that the Fitzsimmons-Jeffries fight will take place in Denver. He offered a purse of $25,000, and today received a dispatch from the principals requesting him to go to New York to arrange the details.

HARRIS IS A CANDIDATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., May 3.—District Attorney Robert I. Harris returned from Porto Rico yesterday. In an interview he stated that he would be a candidate for the nomination for attorney general on the republican ticket this fall.

SCULPTOR REBISSO DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 3—The eminent sculptor, Louis T. Rebisso, is dead at his home in Norwood.

ICE HOUSES BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—The ice houses of Earl Carpenter & Sons on the borders of Hashapaug pond caught fire at 2 o'clock this afternoon and five of the largest houses of the company were threatened with destruction. There are stored in the building about 10,000 tons of ice and the estimated loss on building and contents will foot up between $15,000 and $20,000.

THE SUN LATEST!

5 O'CLOCK

NO PEACE TERMS YET

Although Another Conference Has Been Held With Otis

Now the Filipino Envoys Want an Armistice of Three Months—Gen. Otis Will Not Recognize Local Government.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 3 (2.10 p. m.)—There was a conference lasting two hours today between Major General E. S. Otis and the envoys who came here from General Antonio Luna bearing a proposal for a cessation of hostilities. General Otis adhered to his refusal to recognize the so-called government of the insurgents. The Filipinos now ask for a truce of three months to enable Aguinaldo to summon the congress and consult with the insurgent leaders on the other islands. The envoys admitted the contention of General Otis that Aguinaldo has little control over affairs outside of the island of Luzon. The question of the release of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos being mentioned, Major Manuel Arguelles, the chief member of the deputation, said that he considered them as being in the same category with the Americans, the United States being the successor of Spain in its dominion over the island and acquiring by treaty all Spanish rights and obligations. After the close of the conference with General Otis, the Filipino envoys had a consultation with the United States Philippine commissioners.

TWENTY ROUNDS

Fought By Peter Maher And Ruhlin

A DESPERATE BATTLE FOR VICTORY

But Neither Was Able to Get Decision.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Peter Maher fought his longest and best battle when he met Gus Ruhlin at the Lenox Athletic club last night. The bout lasted 20 rounds, and 6000 persons witnessed it, Maher being the odds-on favorite at 100 to 6. The referee decided it a draw.

Maher weighed 181 pounds and Ruhlin 190.

In the first round Ruhlin landed a right smash on Maher which almost closed one of the latter's eyes. A hard right on the body sent Ruhlin to the floor. Peter later smashed a hard right to Ruhlin's right eye, making it bleed. In the second round Ruhlin had all the better of it. In the third round Maher outpointed his man on leads, and sent in damaging blows on wind and head Ruhlin was on the defensive. The fourth and fifth rounds were uneventful.

Maher forced the fighting in the sixth round, but Ruhlin fought back cleverly. Both of Maher's eyes were "bunged up" when he toed the mark for the seventh round, during which little was done.

In the eighth Ruhlin sent a hard left to Peter's left eye, drawing the blood, and the Irishman went back with both hands, swinging on neck and body. A straight left to the jaw from Ruhlin in the ninth round staggered Maher, although he exchanged rapid blows on the body.

Ruhlin's eyes were in mourning when he came up for the tenth round, and Peter sent lefts and rights to them in quick succession. Gus landed on body and head effectively. He sent a straight left jab to the face in the 11th round and another to the mouth, making the Irishman stagger.

Ruhlin forced the pace in the 12th round. In the next he was much the stronger, but he was careful. Maher had the call at the bell. A right swing on the face in the 14th round from Ruhlin almost put Maher through the ropes, but the Irishman came back without a faller.

Maher had all the better of the 15th round. In the 16th the pace was evidently having a serious effect on each, but Maher at the close was the fresher.

Ruhlin was too slow in the 17th round and Maher sent the blood flying from his nose and mouth with lefts and rights. Hard work on both sides was the condition of affairs in the 18th round. In the 19th, Ruhlin ducked into the left hand hook, which made his left eye bleed. Maher whipped in two left uppercuts on the body and sent in two clean lefts on the body.

In the 20th round, Ruhlin landed a right on the head and Maher countered on the stomach and later on the wind. Ruhlin stood off Maher's rushes and the referee, Charlie White, decided the bout a draw.

In the first preliminary, Bob Gormully of New York made Jack Lawson the Terrible Swede of this city, quit in the second round of an encounter at 124 pounds and in the next bout Gormully defeated Harry Stiles, colored, also of this city, putting the negro to sleep in the fourth round with a right-hand punch on the jaw.

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POLICE COURT

THE GALLAGHER HOUSE LIQUOR CASE CONTINUED.

The liquor case of Robert C. Gallagher of the Gallagher house was called in court today. The defendant was represented by John W. McEvoy, Esq., as counsel who asked for a continuance for one week which was granted. This is the case where lager beer and whiskey was found in the Gallagher house on Saturday evening last by Lieutenant Brosnan, Palmer, Sergeant Downey, Officers Atkinson and Holland.

Margaret Horne, drunkenness, was sentenced six months to the workhouse.

Joseph Bruce, drunkenness, was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed but afterwards withdrew his appeal.

Of the simple drunks, two were released by court and one was fined $1.

A LOWELL BOY

TO BE HEAD ENGINEER UNDER DEWEY.

George E. Richardson, son of Agent Richardson of the Lancaster mills, Clinton, and former agent of the Appleton mills of this city, left yesterday for New York, whence he sails for Manila to accept the position of head engineer under Admiral Dewey.

Last week Agent Richardson and his son stopped in Washington to see Assistant Secretary of the Navy C. H. Allen, an old friend. It was then learned that the position was vacant, and young Mr. Richardson was invited to take the examination. He did so, and came out with flying colors. He hurried to his home in Clinton to make speedy arrangements to leave at once.

Young Mr. Richardson is very popular in society, and his departure will be generally regretted. He has held the position of head engineer at Lancaster Gingham mills for the last two years. He was tendered a farewell reception in Clinton by his male friends last evening, all wishing him prosperity, but expressing regret at his departure for new fields.

He was in this city Monday bidding his friends goodbye.

HENRY B. HYDE

A PIONEER INSURANCE MAN PASSES AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Henry B. Hyde, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, died at his home here yesterday. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure. He had been suffering for more than a year with inflammatory rheumatism, which left him with an affection of the heart. Yesterday he was seized with an alarming attack, which grew continuously worse until this afternoon.

He was a pioneer in the insurance business, having been identified with the concern for forty years.

HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the High street church Women's Home Missionary society was held at the home of the pastor, Rev. C. W. Huntington, last evening, a number of ladies being in attendance. After the reading of reports, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. W. Huntington; vice president, Mrs. W. H. White; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Hemingway; treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Marden, supervisor of the work; Mrs. L. J. Hastings. The mite boxes were opened, resulting in an addition to the treasury of $35, with a large number of the boxes yet to be heard from. Light refreshments were served.

NINE HOUR DAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—The street committee of city council voted last night to extend the nine-hour day to the drivers of the street sprinkling carts. As these men are paid by the hour, there has never been any objection on their part to overtime work, but the recent investigation by the district police regarding the nine-hour law has aroused the city fathers to action. Hereafter no employes of the city will be allowed to work more than nine hours a day.

Eye-sight by Absorption. Dr. Taylor.

CITY COMMITTEE

Fixes May 18 as Date for Caucuses.

THE MEMBERS WILL BE DELEGATES

To a Nominating Convention to be Held Later.

The executive committee of the democratic city committee met last night in the office of Chairman J. Joseph O'Connor.

The object of last evening's meeting was to arrange for the election of the members of the city committee. Thursday May 18, was named as the date.

Then it was suggested that the delegates elected to the city committee at that time serve as delegates to a municipal convention to be held in the fall to nominate candidates for mayor, chief of department of supplies and nine aldermen. After a little discussion this developed into a motion and went through without any extensive opposition. The delegates will be unpledged.

It was further voted that each candidate for membership on the city committee be assessed $5.

BIG VICTORY WON

The Democrats of Baltimore Sweep the City

WITH A MAJORITY OF 9000.

Mayor Hayes Elected Over Republican Incumbent.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 5—Thomas G. Hayes, democrat was elected Mayor of this city today by nearly 9000 majority over William T. Malster, republican, the present incumbent.

His running mates, Skipwith Wilmer, for president of the second branch of the city council and James Smith, for comptroller were elected practically by the same figures.

In addition to these candidates-at-large, the democrats elected all of their candidates for the second branch of the city council and 13 of the 24 members of the first branch.

Today's election is the first under the charter for Baltimore city adopted by the Legislature last year. Under its provisions the municipal elections are held in May, so as to divorce municipal politics from state and national issues. It also changes the term of of mayor from 2 to 4 years. All of the candidates elected today will assume the offices next November.

There are several theories advanced by the Republican leaders and others to account for the surprising result of today's contest, but the one most generally accepted is that those Republicans who do not indorse the Mahler administration, instead of staying away from the polls voted the straight Democratic ticket. The city is wild with excitement tonight, but the best of feeling prevails.

SAMPSON'S FLEET

ARRIVED AT NEW YORK AFTER A LONG CRUISE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3—The North Atlantic squadron under command of Rear Admiral Sampson arrived yesterday from an extensive cruise in the West Indies and along the Spanish main. The vessels are the cruiser, New York, flying the flag or Rear Admiral Sampson and commanded by Capt. Chadwick, cruiser Brooklyn, Capt. Cook, Battleship Indiana, Capt. Taylor, battleship Massachusetts, Captain Ludlow and battleship Texas Capt. Sigsbee.

To the health officer the fleet surgeon reported all well and the fleet proceeded to the naval anchorage off Thompkinsville.

WOMAN MISSING

BUT HER TRUNK HAS ARRIVED HERE.

Manore Makkicolico, a Portuguese woman 65 years old, left New York city on Saturday for Lowell and her non-arrival in this city causes worry among her friends. Her trunk reached the Lowell depot Monday but nothing was heard of its owner. Yesterday several persons of Portuguese nationality called at the police station to report the matter to the superintendent. A telegram received just before noon, however, indicated the woman's arrival in Fall River, where she took the first train for Lowell.

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FOGGY WEATHER

Three Schooners Were Driven Ashore

THE HELENA DASHED ON THE ROCKS.

The Life Savers Rescued the Several Crews.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., May 3.—As the result of foggy weather and a brisk northeasterly gale three schooners are ashore on Cape Cod this morning. The large New Haven three-masted schooner Alice B. Phillips went ashore at 2 o'clock near Race Point. The schooner Robert Byron is on the beach at Crow Hill, just west of the Race Point life saving station. The schooners are well up on the beach. The crews were landed in safety.

The three-masted schooner Helena from a Maine port for the south with a cargo of fish scraps, struck on Peaked Hill bars during the night. The crew was saved. The Helena lies in a bad position, especially as the gale and sea were increasing early in the morning. The life savers of the Race Point and Peaked Hill bars stations went to the scene of the wrecks soon after the vessels struck.

BOARD OF HEALTH

TALKS SOME MORE ABOUT THE GARBAGE CONTRACT.

The board of health held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon. Dr. Packer spoke of the order of the board requiring the immediate interment of the body of Engineer Ruckledge, Monday. He said Ruckledge died of typhoid fever and the body was sent from Santiago. It was in an hermetically sealed casket. But outside was a pine box. Other bodies were ordered by the government taken to Arlington and ordered not to be opened until winter. This was for the benefit of Mr. Fifield who was not present at the suddenly called special meeting of Monday, at which Dr. Packer said only Undertaker Weinbeck and Arthur Salmon were present.

The day was a very hot one and the body was ordered interred for sanitary reasons. The great wonder was that the government allowed the body to be sent at all. Mr. Salmon, the doctor said, expressed surprise that the body was sent at all.

After approving the monthly bills the following undertakers' licenses were granted: Joseph Albert, Amedee Archambault, James W. Brooks, J. B. Currier, Peter Davey, J. H. McDermott, C. H. Molloy, James F. O'Donnell, Edward J. O'Donnell, William Renaud & Co., John F. Rogers, Peter H. Savage, John A. Weinbeck, Charles M. Young & Co., Wm. W. Clark and Dennis J. Maher.

Then followed a conference relative to the garbage contract. City Solicitor Qua said the board should authorize Dr. Packer as chairman to sign the contract; that would be for the city. Then comes the question whether the mayor shouldn't sign, also. There is a conflict between the statute of 1889 and the later charter of the city. Mr. Qua did not assume to decide the matter, but suggested that the thing for the parties interested to say is whether it is not better to be on the safe side. He would not say that a contract signed by the board alone would not be binding. But as there is a legal doubt, which only the supreme court can decide, the safe course is the better one. On the whole, the city solicitor said it would be dangerous to make a five-year contract without the approval of the mayor.

Mr. Gilkyson said he is willing to take his chances with a contract signed by the board of health.

Mr. Fifield said the board of health has power to grant the contract.

Mr. Mulligan suggested that the board of health has no power to compel the mayor to sign a contract, but the city solicitor's advice relative to such a contract should be heeded. It is for the company to decide if they want to take chances on the legality of the contract without the mayor's approval.

Mr. Qua promised to have the contract ready for today.

FELL FROM A TRAIN.

John Martin, 35 years old, claiming a residence in Lawrence, Monday evening left Boston on the 6.35 o'clock train for this city. He was riding on the rear platform of the last car, and fell as the train was passing over the Austin street crossing in Charlestown. His right leg was cut off below the knee, and he was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

MATRIMONIAL.

THIBODEAU—REMILLARD.

Mederic Thibodeau and Miss Corinne Remillard was united in marriage yesterday at the Oblate Fathers' residence on Merrimack street. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., performed the ceremony. Miss Narcisse Denault was bridesmaid and Mr. Gustave Bourgeois, best man.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff, will sell at public auction at sheriff's sale, Friday, May 5, 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at store of Smith & Dunn, No. 350 Market street all the personal property contained in said store consisting of bar fixtures, beer pumps, cash register, glasses, etc. Terms cash.

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A $30,000 SCHOOL

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FOR ADDITION TO HIGH SCHOOL.

The Location is on Paige Street.

The committee on education last evening voted unanimously to recommend $30,000 for a new High school at the corner of Paige and John streets. Alderman Taylor presided and the session was a brief one.

The only business was to take action upon the petition of the school board for increased accommodations for the High school.

After a brief discussion the vote was taken as above and the wish was expressed that a larger school building could be built but the conditions are not such as to allow it. Under the circumstances the plan proposed was considered the most feasible.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

TO INAUGURATE GRAND CLEARANCE SALE.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at their store on Central street. The sale will include the entire stock of black and colored dress goods and domestics. If you want dress goods, wash goods, domestics, table linens, sheetings, at special mark down prices don't miss this sale for the rest of the week.

DAVIS BRIBERY TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DOVER, Del., May 3.—The trial of Representative Mark L. Davis charged with offering Francis H. Latomus, a fellow member, a bribe to vote for John Edwards Addicks for United States senator, began yesterday. Mr. Latomus testified as to a conversation between him and Davis during which the defendant agreed to lift a mortgage from the witness' farm in return for his vote by Mr. Addicks.

Davis denied the story told by Latomus.

Gilbert S. Jones, a reporter, said that Representative Latomus had declared that he had not been approached with offers of a bribe for his vote for senator.

The case was quickly argued and at 1.15 o'clock was given to the jury.

DEATHS.

ALDRICH—Warren Aldrich, aged 89 years, 9 months and 22 days, died this morning at his late home, 243 Appleton street.

McSHEA—Margaret McShea, aged 63 years, 3 months, died this morning at 34 Lagrange street. She was an old resident of Lowell having resided here about fifty years and was a highly esteemed member of St. Patrick's parish. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Edward McShea, and a daughter, Annie McShea; one brother, Richard, of Concord, N. H., and two sisters, Mrs. Ash of Bethlehem, N. H. and Mrs. Hannah Condon of Lowell. Funeral Friday afternoon.

JALBERT—John Jalbert the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper J. Jalbert died Monday at his parents' home on Grafton street, Worcester, of meningitis. The boy attended the Grafton street school. The funeral was held at the residence today at 8.15 o'clock and a requiem high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Stephen's church in Worcester. The burial was in Lowell.

WARDWELL—Mrs. Jennie A. Wardwell wife of Nelson H. B. Wardwell died at her home, 88 Cumbridge street yesterday, aged 57 years, 3 months and 2 days.

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For Boston, 6.45, 8.25, *6.12, *7.15, *8.50, *9.16, *9.40, 11 a m; 1.40, *3.00, 4.25, *5.11 p m SUNDAYS, 9.15 a m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.48, 6.28, *6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.28, 7.37, *7.49, w*8.13, *8.57, 09.10, w9.25, *9.50, w10.00 11.03, *11.13 a m; w12 05, 12.10, w12.45, 1.45, w2.32, w*3.00, 3.10, *3.47, w4.05, 4.32, w5.10, 5.28, *5.45, w*6.15, *6.52, 7.00, *7.13, w*9.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 7.22, 7.34, w8.15, 8.48, 9.19, a m, w12.05, w1.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w7.36 p m.

For Lawrence, 5.28, w6.50 z7.33, w8.53, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, z2 30, w3.10, w4 05, 4.38, w5.10, w6.13, w7.00, w9.25, w11 35 p m. SUNDAYS, w9 15 a m, w12.05, w2.35, w7.25 p m.

For Salem, Mass. w6.28, 7.53 a m; w12.05, 1.25, w5.10, 5.53 p m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 9.50, 0.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.50, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, *11.23 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a m; 12.05, 2.50, 4.05, 6.15 p m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 7.53, z7.33, 9.50 a m; 12.05, 2.50, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, *11.23 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m.

For Somersworth, N H, Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 6.28, 8.50, z7.33, 9.50 a m; 12.05, 4 05 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.50 p m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.50 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.50 p m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.50 a m; 12.05, 5.10, 5.10 p m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland 8.50 a m; 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.50 p m.

For St John's, N B, Halifax, N S, 5.10 p m (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 8.50 p m.

For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinue for the season.

For sections on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 8.50 a. m. 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.55, 7.04, 7.58, *7.45, 11.00 a m; 1.43 4.28 p m. SUNDAYS, 9.45 a m; 4.05, 5.53 p m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.10 a m; 12.05, 5.01 and 6.48 p m. SUNDAYS, 9.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12a m; 1.00, 3.41, 5.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 3.41 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7.40 9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.32, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 9.27, *8.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.09 a m (to Nashua only), 3.08 a m; 2.00, 8.12, 8.40 p m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9 12, *9.40 a m; *12 12, *1 40, (to Franklin only) 5.40, *8.10 p m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7 40, 1.40 p m.

For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9.40 a m, *1.40, *8.40 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9 40 a m; *12 12, *8.10 p m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—*9 40 a m; *5 40 p m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrook—9 40 a. m., *8 40 p m.

References: *Express. †Daily. w Via Western Division. f Wednesdays and Saturdays only. v Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.

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REJOICING HEARD

Communications From Citizens on No-License.

THE POLICE BOARD GETS DUE CREDIT

And So Does the Sun for Its Noble Fight.

The rejoicing with which the no-license era has been ushered in is being voiced by prominent citizens in communications, a few of which are given below. Lack of space prevents the publication of several others. The first is from that old-time friend and worker for no-license, Mr A. Nichols.

To the Editor of the Lowell Sun.
Sir:

After many years of hard work our efforts were crowned with success at the ballot box in December last in carrying this city for no-license and on May 1st, this law went into force with very much better prospects of success than the no-license year of 1890. I think great praise is due to the commissioners for granting no druggists licenses and they should have the thanks of the citizens of Lowell for the step taken. But no law upon our statute book will enforce itself and all lovers of good order should do their part in seeing that they are sustained in their efforts to enforce the same. We must expect that this year is going to bring an end forever to this nefarious traffic. The rum powers will die hard and this year a great struggle for license for 1900 will be made. So at the commencement let us prepare for the battle and keep up the fight for God and home and native land.

I think great credit is due to the Lowell Sun in the noble stand it took in this matter, while the other papers of the city stood out for license. The Sun used its columns freely in the "No" cause and deserves the thanks of the citizens generally for its magnificent campaign against the rumocracy and for its efforts to uplift those who for years have been the slaves and the victims of rum.

We are told that there was but the usual number of arrests on Saturday night, but this is no criterion of the drunks in our own city for if all had been arrested who were found in a state of intoxication on that night it would have required a good many police stations to hold them.

No doubt a good many clerks will be short of a job in this line for this year, but they are not all, that is out of employment in this city. The rumsellers could find them work by sending them into the homes of their customers to gather up the rags their traffic made during the year past. So if they had to keep their own paupers there would not be so many in the trade. And if why one refused then surely they ought to be made. Let us be up and doing during the year. Truth is mighty and will prevail. So that for many years to come no rum shops will be open to entice the young men in our city into its danger and may God defend the right.

Yours Respectfully,
A. NICHOLLS.

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE LIQUOR DEALERS.

The voice of the people must prevail. At their bidding social disorders and social dangers must cease. When they intelligently exercise the right of suffrage, the right of freedom, all corruption and rot in whatever branch it exists must disappear and make way for a more wholesome one, moral order.

Saturday night witnessed the closing of the barrooms, the happy suppression of the great liquor traffic in our municipality for at least one year. Would that it were more! Today if we take a stroll through the various streets we find that all the haunts are barricaded; and the only memento left to us is the smell that still seems to linger. The saloon keepers are demoralized, those men who have lived luxuriously on blood money and drank the milk which was to nourish the suckling babe, are now sore at heart.

They seem to think that the world is against them. They imagine that they are tasting sorrow to its very depth. But alas! The hearts of the conscientious voters who caused their downfall, of the widow and the orphan beat with joy and exultation, and why not? They scored a social triumph they have found a panacea, a positive cure for this chronic social disease.

The liquor men are already foreboding a period of hard times, of business depression and paralyzed labor. But for whom? Inevitably for no one but themselves. They have been forced into the stream and must either sink or swim. Intelligent and honest people divine an era fraught with happiness and prosperity, for such a revolution as this can bring naught but the most beneficial results. The frown of poverty will be relieved by the smile of plenty. The people will have more money and consequently more of the comforts and luxuries of life. Their hard-earned cash instead of filling the coffers of the rum sellers will be registered to their bank account or at least more judiciously expended. The grocers, butchers, milkmen and others who have long been victimized for the benefit of the gin mill will enjoy a more lucrative business and find a more constant return for every outlay. In short a general boom in business will ensue for money, instead of being concentrated in the hands of a few wholesale dealers who practically control many of the saloons will find a more general circulation. This signifies a great deal when we consider that at least $700,000 is expended annually in the purchase of liquor in the city of Lowell.

Some sympathizers intrenching themselves with arguments based on the bitter experience of a former no-license year, are predicting a period in which low dens, speak-easies, houses of assignation, etc., will flourish and immorality and licentiousness run wantonly; but they will be doomed to disappointment. The mayor will strain every effort and is determined that the will of the people must be enforced. Backed by the police department in which every officer has practically become an excise officer, the miasma will be checked and the atmosphere become purer and healthier. Saturday night the joyous peal of the 11 o'clock bells, sounding the death knell of rumocracy had scarcely died away when one rendezvous was raided. This but reflects in a small measure the strong determination of the police to crush the evil ere it gathers growth. One question looms up strikingly before us: What are the plans of the liquor men for the future. Beyond the peradventure of a doubt, the wholesalers who have been bleeding the people for years will recline supinely on their backs, awaiting the dawn of a brighter era; their families can still live in supreme comfort and preserve their highly independent air. Others may launch forth into new enterprises, or return to their former field of labor; but for the sake of the community and for their own self-respect let us not behold an array of idlers and loafers, a despicable thing in any municipality. Idle saloon keepers and bartenders would be targets at which everybody would shoot; they would be the victims of critic, carp and cynic sneer. They would be the butt for everybody's joke and laughter. Let them go to work; put their shoulder to the wheel, and earn their bread like honest men.

J. F. M., Worthen St.

FLORA E. STACEY LODGE INSTALLED OFFICERS LAST EVENING.

Flora E. Stacey lodge, I.O.G.T., met at Post 120 hall last night and D. G. C. T. Robert Mountford installed the following officers: C. H. McCullough, chief templar; Maggie McPhee, vice chief templar; John Hamilton, financial secretary; Mr. Marshall, treasurer; Mabel Hunton, recording secretary; John Morrison, marshal; Ida Hill, guard; May Hunton, chaplain. A committee was appointed to look for new quarters and to report at the next regular meeting. The regular good of the order was enjoyed after the meeting.

BOXING GOSSIP.

George E. Gardner of this city and John E. Butler of Lynn will box 15 rounds Tuesday evening next before the Nutone Athletic club of this city. They will meet at 115 pounds. There will be two preliminary bouts, one of ten rounds between two Manchester boxers and the other between Billy Gardner and Prof. Gagnon, both of this city.

There is talk of a match being made between Billy Gardiner of this city and George Munroe, who fought two draws with "Teddy" McGovern the Brooklyn wonder.

MUSIC HALL.

The Ottawa Free Press, speaking of the performance given by Prof. Carpenter, the king of hypnotists, says one of the subjects under the spell of hypnotism was impressed with the idea that he had killed one of the subjects by electrocution and he wept like a child the tears trickling down his cheeks. He left the hall in search of a doctor and returned with Officer Graham, who was positive he had a murder case when the young man approached him with face bathed in tears and accompanied him to the hall where the audience yelled till it was deafening. The scene was realistic and it was impossible to be acted by any human being. Professor Carpenter will be at Music hall for one week commencing May 8.

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BROKE THE SPELL

Boston Won a Game From Baltimore

NICHOLS WAS IN THE BOX.

Result of the Other League Games.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BATIMORE, May 2.—The champion Bostons played up-to-date ball here this afternoon and broke the hoodoo spell that has hung over them for several days.

Charley Nichols was at his best and when forced sped the missile over the rubber like the rush of trolley lightning after the last night car. Bill Clarke caught in good form and was in the run-making with a full cargo of good luck. Three of the nine runs were scored by "Whoa, Bill," and yet every time around he gave one or more openings for a put out. He bore a charmed existence around the bases, to the delight of the Baltimore fans, who still have a tender spot for their old catcher.

But for a miscalculation by Lowe in the first inning, the orioles would have gone to the clubhouse shut out. Hobby ran for second as Sheckard hit to right field, when Long should have covered the base. After this the fielding of the Boston men was faultless and the hitting of the all-round variety; bunting, hit and run, and crack-her-out were mixed up in a way to mystify Miller, a young pitcher who had fine speed and did good work, with the exception of a poor throw. The fault of O'Brien to cover second and his wild throw to first gave Boston five of her nine runs and turned a pretty game into a one-sided affair.

The score by innings is as follows:

Innings ..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	4	—9
Baltimore ..	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Stolen bases—Sheckard, 2; Clarke. Two-base hits, O'Brien, Lachance. Sacrifice hit, Nichols. Double plays, Long, Lowe and Tenney; Sheckard and Lachance; Holmes and Lachance; Collins and Long. First on balls, off Miller, 3; off Nichols, 4. Hit by pitcher, Magoon. Struck out, by Nichols 3. Left on bases, Baltimore, 5, Boston, 3. Earned runs, Baltimore 2; Boston, 3. Umpires, Hunt and Connelly. Time, 1h. 45m. Attendance, 2370.

Pittsburg, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Louisville, 3; Cleveland, 2.
Cleveland, 9; Louisville, 5.
Brooklyn, 7; Washington, 0.
New York, 4; Philadelphia, 3.

EDWARD ATKINSON

Charged With Sending Circulars to Troops

CRITICISING THE PHILIPPINE POLICY.

Matter Discussed by the Cabinet.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The absentees from yesterday's cabinet meeting were secretaries Gage, Long, Alger and Wilson. One of the subjects of discussion was the circulars which were mailed to the troops at Manila, criticising the Philippine policy of the government and advising volunteers whose term of service is about to expire not to re-enlist. A member of the cabinet, in speaking of the matter, said that Edward Atkinson of Boston who is he of these circulars was unquestionably in the preparation and sending out of these circulars, was unquestionably guilty of assisting an insurrection against the authority of the United States, and was subject to a term of imprisonment or a heavy fine or both. The law, which, it is said, has been violated, is Section 5334 of the Revised Statutes, which is as follows:

"Every person who incites, sets on foot, assists or engages in any rebellion or insurrection against the authority of the United States, or the laws thereof, or gives aid or comfort thereto, shall be punished by imprisonment not more than 10 years, or by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or by both of such punishments; and shall moreover, be incapable of holding any office under the United States."

What action, if any shall be taken in the matter, has not been determined, but it is said that the government is disposed to regard the acts of Mr. Atkinson as those of a person without any proper conception of the gravity of the offense committed and the government may not at this time take action against Mr. Atkinson and his assistants.

The postmaster general stated at the cabinet meeting that he had ordered the circulars stopped at San Francisco.

Members of the administration regard Mr. Atkinson's alleged action as seditious and disgraceful and it is not improbable that if repeated, prompt and energetic action will be taken.

Parts of the report of the army beef commission was read at the meeting and matters relating to the Alaskan boundary question, was submitted.

The High school base ball team will leave for Haverhill this afternoon (the weather permitting) to play the Haverhill High. The local school team was the only team to defeat Haverhill High last season. The players for the Lowell High today will be as follows: Bruce, c; Cronin, p; Murphy, 1b; Bagley, 2b; Scannell, 3b; Drury, ss; Morrison, lf; Kearns cf; and Kinsella, rf.

PAVING THE WAY.

How Every Democrat May Assist the 1900 Campaign Fund.

To insure Democratic victory next year it is necessary to help the cause with money. The Democratic party is nearest the hearts of the common people, pledged to and espousing their interests through good and evil report, always in the van of thought and action. Novel and pleasant is the latest plan adopted by the ways and means committee of the Democratic national committee to raise money for the antiplutocratic fight of 1900.

An ardent bimetallic firm of cigar manufacturers of Chicago, who have been in business for many years, made an offer a few days ago to divide the profits of their goods with the committee's treasury. Knowing the high character of the gentlemen comprising the firm and the established reputation of the goods they have put forth for many years, the committee accepted the offer, and the terms of the contract were stipulated with definiteness. Under the agreement two brands of cigars, to be known as the "Ways and Means" and the "Defense Fund," are being manufactured and will be put on the market at once. The former is a good 10 cent cigar and the "Defense Fund" a 5 cent cigar, both well made by union labor and guaranteed to run of even quality; so that any cigar is likely to be a fair sample of them all.

In this way the friends of the great cause can, without sacrifice of a fraction of a cent of good money's worth, aid the cause, for the manufacturers have made an out and out donation of 1 cent on each dime cigar sold and one-third of a cent on each nickel cigar disposed of. That this money actually goes into the treasury of the ways and means committee there is absolute guarantee, for the labels are countersigned in the office of the committee by two of its members, and the royalty is paid when the labels are delivered. All correspondence regarding these cigars should be mailed by dealers to C. H. Schneffer & Co., Chicago, in whose name the labels are issued and by whom the royalties are paid. Already there is a great rush of orders at the office of the firm, and they will be promptly filled.

The real power in the Republican party cares nothing for the fundamental principles of our civilization. The men who really dominate that organization have no conception of the real purposes of all government, but look upon it merely as an instrument for the advancement of their industrial interests. The president is too much of a politician and too willing a tool in the hands of this influence to take a bold stand for the people, for the preservation of liberty at home and its extension abroad.

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$1.98 Each.

LOT 5—5 dozen black Mercerized Skirts, with flounce and corded ruffle; we have sold them up to date, $3.50, price on this lot,

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I have got two new houses and 17 lots of land on Stevens street, McKinley, Royalston and Rose avenues, Ward Eight.

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The streets have all been accepted by the city, have water, gas and sewerage to the new houses. The houses I built myself by day work, under the supervision of Francis T. Wilson, one of the most thorough and honest builders in Lowell. They have every modern convenience, including open plumbing, bath room, pantry, laundry, store room, cemented cellar, furnace, etc.; also eight exceedingly pleasant living rooms and large attic, are neat in architecture, attractive in finish, and the interior arrangement is of the most desirable character in its modern conception. There isn't in this splendid and healthy residential portion of Lowell a better plot of land—surroundings, outlook and lay of land considered—than my estate. The lots average 5000 square feet of land each, with a frontage of 50 feet. I can conscientiously say to you that there are no handsomer lots in old Ward Four. Edge stones and sidewalks already in before the houses.

Think of it, accepted streets, water, gas and sewerage already in; electric cars are within four minutes' walk through either Forest or Midland streets to Chelmsford street, and the contemplated "Belt Line" by the street railway company goes through Stevens street and past the premises.

The purchaser of each house must deposit with or secure to the auctioneers $300 as soon as each house is struck off. Other terms easy. The purchaser of each lot of land must deposit the auctioneers $20 as soon as each lot is struck off.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Remember that sterilized milk if kept in a refrigerator is absolutely safe to give to the youngest infant if in good health.

Monday was a Dewey day in Lowell and yet some people thought it mighty dry as it ushered in the no-license year.

Lieut. Gilmore is reported safe, although held with ten others as prisoners by the Filipinos. May he be safely restored to his place under Dewey.

The Boston Herald is trotting out democratic candidates for governor in much the same style as an auctioneer would put a horse on exhibition.

The horse shoers are on strike for higher wages in Boston. Is there no charm for them in the old horse shoe that is said to bring such good luck to others?

There is talk of annexing Cuba. We supposed that the pledges of the United States that the Cubans would eventually be allowed to work out their own destiny, meant something.

Our former artist, Wilbur L. Duntley, during the recent horse show at Boston, demonstrated once more that there is no other man in the country who can sketch horses so true to nature. His horse pictures in the Herald have become famous among horsemen.

SENATOR HOAR ON TRUSTS.

Senator Hoar, before departing for Europe, received the homage of the Bay State club at a banquet and in his after-dinner speech took occasion to refer to the howl of horror that went up at the recent lynching in Georgia and stated that while the mob had no right to lynch an individual, it is equally true that no nation has a right to lynch a whole people which is still more terrible. This much he said in reiteration of his position in opposition to the imperial policy, but it was but a prelude to his discourse, which was in opposition to the trusts and companies which are organized for the purpose of eliminating competition. His speech is among the first made by any republican against the oppressive combines which have resulted directly from the republican policy of high protection and centralization. On this question as well as upon the imperial policy, Senator Hoar is right in line with the leaders of the democratic party.

In discussing the trusts, Senator Hoar made clear the powers of the several states in restraining corporations so far as their business is local in each state and then he showed wherein the trusts came under the control of congress where the authority of the states cannot reach them. This latter power, he thought, could be exercised without danger to the rights of the people or of the individuals concerned.

Among his most important utterances were the following:

"Time and space have become annihilated. The manufacturer in Lowell has for his competitor and his business neighbor the manufacturer in Georgia or in California or Indiana. Now, in any business of this kind—this business between two of the states or with foreign countries—the state is powerless.

"If it were not powerless you have the difficulty of 45 different state legislatures which must deal in concert in order to make your legislation effective. If you deny the Massachusetts charter to the corporation, the corporators go to New Jersey and get what they want without any difficulty; and in so far as this business, as I have said, is interstate or international business, the states have no restraining power, under the constitution, and the matter must be dealt with by congress.

"So you have for the same business two separate legislative powers—the national, so far as the manner of the corporation in dealing with interstate commerce is concerned and the state legislative power so far as relates to the business locally and at home.

"Now, while congress cannot make any provision constitutionally that shall control in the least the business of any manufacturer, whether alone or in combination with others, so far as it is carried on within the boundaries of his own state, congress may, in my judgment, impose such conditions as it shall see fit upon the carrying on of business by such combinations in interstate and international commerce, and one of those conditions may be that no business, with such exceptions as may seem reasonable like that of railroad transportation companies, the banks and some other companies of that kind—that no business shall be carried on between the different states or between the nation and foreign countries where the men who carry it on have the facility and privilege, the corporate powers, without individual liability, except in compliance with and in conformity with such conditions as the national legislative power shall prescribe."

While Senator Hoar is not a politician of the stripe whose chief aim is to construct a platform that will catch votes and having served its end, is thrown aside and forgotten, yet we venture to say that the platform of the republican party in the next presidential campaign will have an anti-trust plank framed on the lines laid down in Senator Hoar's address. The time has come when the trusts must be throttled by the people, or else they will go on robbing and defying the people as they are doing at the present time.

There is something consoling to parents in the thought that their son died fighting for his country. There is not a mother we know who lost a son in the war who has not been consoled by the thought that his life was given in a noble cause—with perhaps one exception wherein the mother claimed her boy was murdered by bad beef, lack of proper food and of medical attendance. The mothers who gave martyrs to the cause of humanity remind us of the Spartan mothers who preferred that their sons should return upon their shields, dead, than to lose them in battle.

All Belvidere regrets the removal of Officer Lane from the beat which he has so long patrolled. Mr. Lane had become so well acquainted with his beat that if an ill deed was done by anybody in the vicinity he could soon locate the culprit. He knew young and old. He paid particular attention to the condition of the streets on his beat and when he found dangerous places he reported them to the street department. This may not have been obligatory upon him, but it may have saved the city a number of lawsuits.

The shift in the police assignments will extend the acquaintanceship of the officers. It is possible that some of them may have been too well acquainted to be strict, but the new deal will overcome that.

It is a long time since there were so few drunks in court on a Monday as appeared there last Monday. The golden fruits of no-license are beginning to appear. Keep up the good work.

It looks as if Supt. Davis meant to enforce the no-license law. Let him get the credit of good intentions until he is found delinquent.

The hot weather is at hand, bearing danger to the babies. Keep them cool and give them nothing that will sicken them.

Let no decent young man have it said that he had to go to Lawrence for booze. Let him try the good effects of total abstinence.

Well, the dust got thoroughly laid Monday night. The watering carts can take a day off.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Springfield Republican—The "treason" scare had a short run. All the prisons and jails in the United States wouldn't hold the "traitors."

Manchester Union—It is with unspeakable sadness that the republican leaders witness the donation for public libraries, of the Carnegie wealth, which, in former years was reserved for their corruption fund.

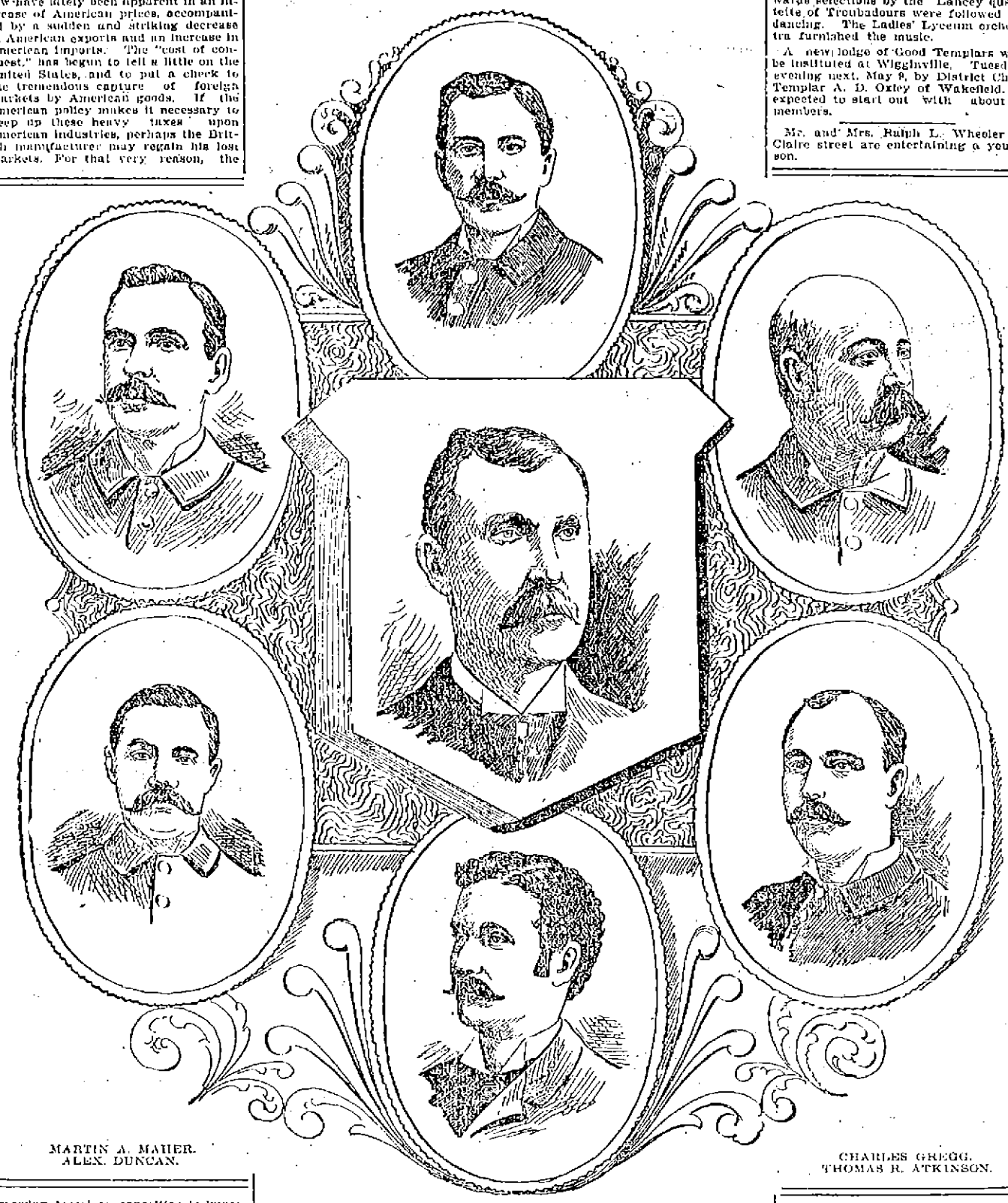
Charlestown News and Courier—The imperialists are playing for high stakes and rather than forego the realization of the visions of wealth and power that tempted them to the acquisition of the Philippines, there is no telling what crime they dare commit.

Philadelphia Record—The governor of California will not make out a commission for the United States senator whom he has appointed from that state in default of legislative choice until he shall have found out what the senate will do with the Quay case. He is more prudent than our governor. He shall not make a fool of himself unless he shall have senatorial warranty for so doing.

Washington Post—The negroes cannot afford to make common cause with such monsters as Hose. They must consider him solely as a criminal. And the whites must declare themselves equally against the savages who put Hose to death with such fiendish cruelties. One race will harm itself by regarding the dead man as a martyr. The other will disgrace itself by applauding the lynchers as instruments of justice. Both Hose and his murderers must be considered as social pests—as enemies of humanity and civilization.

Boston Advertiser—The effects of the heavy expenses of the war with Spain, and the passage of the "war revenue" law have lately been apparent in an increase of American prices, accompanied by a sudden and striking decrease in American exports and an increase in American imports. The "cost of conquest," has begun to tell a little on the United States, and to put a check to the tremendous capture of foreign markets by American goods. If the American policy makes it necessary to keep up these heavy taxes upon American industries, perhaps the British manufacturer may regain his lost markets. For that very reason, the growing American opposition to imperialism has caused a new alarm in England.

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CRISP GOSSIP.

Trout fishermen now hold sway.

Soon the small boy will go a-swimming.

Trees are rapidly putting out their leaves.

This is the kind of weather thin people like.

Duck and crash outfits will soon be in order.

May parties are to be quite numerous this year.

Screens and screen doors are being brought out.

Reformed saloons can now be had at a material reduction in rent.

Split is the popular drink in Waltham under a no-license regime.

Girls are sharpening up their ice cream melters for the summer season.

Wanted—A good singer for a ball nine, one who can play base preferred.

Laconia had an earthquake at 12.21 Sunday noon. It was not felt here.

Is it not time an example were made of that modern pest and bully—the scorcher?

One of the Taunton club's pitchers is named Drinkwater and it is to be hoped that the others will follow his example.

During the month of April, 46 cars were run through the Boston & Maine paint shop at Concord, the largest number in any month since work was inaugurated.

A new firm of Barry and Fay begin in the vaudeville next Monday. They are Charles, a son of the original William Barry and Effie Fay, a daughter of the late Hugh Fay.

Word on the road car at the Boston & Maine shops is being pushed to the limit. The car is of massive construction and when weighted for service it will, it is estimated, tip the scales at 80,000 pounds.

The North church, Concord, N. H., has voted with great unanimity to introduce the individual communion cups in their service. The choice as to the particular kind and style is left with the standing committee.

Many of Lowell's young men who are indulging in the new spring coats find that the brevity of the garments does not allow the under coattails to conceal themselves. As a result several have avoided the uncertainty of pins by having hooks and eyes fastened to the linings of their cutaways. When the spring coat is donned, the coat tails are hooked up and when the coat is removed, they are released, providing the wearer does not forget his scheme. That it is forgotten at times was made evident when an otherwise immaculately dressed young man swung gracefully up the aisle of one of the churches Sunday, amidst the smiles of the elders and the titters of the youths.

Massachusetts means to take advantage of experience gained during the war and in consequence the soldiers will learn to do their own cooking at future state camps. The idea is a good one for no soldier can know too much about taking care of himself in the field where chefs and nurses are not ready for a messenger call at any and all times.

A good many Lowellians will be in attendance at anniversary day exercises at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H., June 1. A number of Lowell young men have graduated from this seat of learning.

The trainmen of the Boston & Maine railroad have been informed by an order that they cannot carry packages on the train without paying express rates.

Some folks say it don't cost as much to keep a bicycle as it does a horse. But it costs $5 a month for some folks to keep a bicycle that is, if they want to keep it.

Women who take a spin on the bicycle are the kind who fight shy of the broom or the after-dinner dishes.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

At a meeting of the Mathews last night three candidates were initiated and six applications were accepted. It was voted to hold a picnic this summer and a committee was appointed to arrange and report later. It was also voted to tender a complimentary dance to the young lady friends of the society Wednesday evening, May 10th.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, had four initiations at its meeting last night.

The Burkes held the regular meeting last evening. Six candidates were initiated and four applications were accepted.

A committee from Spindle City circle Companions of the Forest, met last night and completed all arrangements for the May party which is to be held at Associate hall, May 12.

A delegation of local Foresters will go to Lawrence Friday evening to attend a May party to be held by Fanny Parnell circle, Companions of the Forest, of that city. The Lowell delegation will leave on a special car, which will leave the square at 7.30.

Lowell commandery, Knights of Malta, met last evening and conferred the scarlet degree on five candidates, besides accepting several applications for membership.

J. P. Maxfield circle, Ladies of the G.A.R. met in Post 88's hall last night Memorial day orders were received from the department president but no definite action was taken. It was June 6. The circle will attend services at the Paige street F. B. church, May 28 at 10.30 a. m.

Highland Union Rebekah lodge gave a complimentary banquet Monday night to Enterprise lodge of Reading. About 70 visitors were present, besides the officers of local lodges. Before the supper a meeting of the lodges was held to welcome the guests and afterwards selections by the Lancey quartette of Troubadours were followed by dancing. The Ladies' Lyceum orchestra furnished the music.

A new lodge of Good Templars will be instituted at Wigglesville, Tuesday evening next, May 9, by District Chief Templar A. D. Oxley of Wakefield. It is expected to start out with about 40 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Wheeler of Claire street are entertaining a young son.

MOCK TRIAL.

A mock trial for an umbrella was the attraction at the First Trinitarian Congregational church last evening. There was a large attendance and during the progress of the trial, some ludicrous and amusing situations were presented.

E. Lincoln Nowell will dance at Butler's annual May festival in Music Hall, Boston, May 6.

MOLINEUX CASE

MORE EVIDENCE IS BEING PREPARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Assistant District Attorney Blumenthal who is preparing the Molineux case for the grand jury had eleven witnesses at his office yesterday, including Harry Cornish, W. J. Kinsley, the handwriting expert and Harry C. King.

It was learned that a new letter had been found and sent to the district attorney and that, according to the claims, it shed new light on the case. The letter was written on the same tri-crescent blue paper at the "Barnet" and "Cornish" letters. The newest letter reads:

"Dear Sir—Inclosed please find 25 cents for which please send sample of remedy.

Yours respectfully,
—Roland Molineux, 6 Jersey St.

Expert Kinsley, who has seen this letter, has pronounced the handwriting to be Molineux's.

IN ARLINGTON

BODIES OF 252 SOLDIERS WERE INTERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The bodies of 252 soldier dead brought from battlefields of Cuba and Porto Rico by steamer Crook were interred at Arlington cemetery today with military honors. The ceremony was identical with that held on the occasion of the interment of the bodies brought by the Crook on her first trip about a month ago but neither the president nor the members of his cabinet were present today. Acting Secretary of War Meikeljohn as the representative of the war department and Major General Miles and his staff in full uniform were present. Col. Guenther of the Fourth artillery with two companies of the 4th and 5th artillery from the Washington barracks and the Fourth artillery band had charge of the funeral. The religious services were conducted by Chaplain Freeland of Fortress Monroe and Father Magee of this city.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

ENJOYABLE CANTATA PRESENTED BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The ladies of the Congregational church in North Chelmsford entertained a gathering in the town hall last night when "Jack and the Bean Stalk" was repeated. In the cast were: Hubert B. Ripley, Ethel C. Ranger, Frank W. S. Daly, Esther A. Bearce, Arvilla H. Piggott, Robert B. Scribner, Anna C. Mackay, Marion E. Scribner, Katherine L. Sheldon, Stella C. Howard, Mary J. Browne, Ethel R. Wotton, Florence A. Bearce, Earl J. Wotton, Earl S. Lewis, Stewart Mackay, John C. Varney, Ada Crockett, F. Ethel Warley, Gladys E. Swain, Amelia R. Marinel, Florence Queen, Pearl A. Stevens, Blanche M. Wright, Minnie M. Crockett.

Chicken chorus—Bertha H. Piggott, Bessie E. Scribner, Ruth M. Scribner, Hazel L. Butterfield, Nellie L. Butterfield, Ethel M. Reno, Annie M. Ranger, Lillie H. Marinel, Ruth G. Wotton.

Baked Bean chorus—Stuart Mackay, Luther Hall, Earl S. Lewis, John C. Varney, Earl J. Wotton, George W. Ranger, Edward J. Sheldon, Paul A. Scribner, Harold J. Hackett, James A. Morning, Charles De Lahaye, Elias F. De Lahaye.

Quartette selections were sung by Mrs. Hubert Bearce, Miss Daisy Ripley, Mrs. C. F. Scribner and Mrs. Arthur F. Salmon. Encores were responded to. Little Miss Ranger sang a pleasing number and the Misses Marinel danced the sailors' hornpipe. There were other pleasing specialties and the people in the audience got their money's worth.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the First Presbyterian church last evening, the closing night of the fair and sale under the auspices of the church was very largely attended, but those present enjoyed the occasion with games and social converse.

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Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will strengthen the stomach and thus cure indigestion, constipation, biliousness, malaria, and all kidney and liver trouble.

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A STITCH IN THE BACK



It's hard for a man to do his work well if he has a bad back—hard for him to work at all—But the work must be done,—bread must be earned, and so thousands of workers plod along, accepting the backache as a matter of course, and only realizing the seriousness of it when it gets so bad that they can't drag themselves about any longer. Yet it's all unnecessary—you know what backache is—Kidney ache, that's all—Just simply the natural result of the failure of the kidneys to do their duty—and the way to get rid of it is to set the kidneys right. Help the kidneys to do their duty and there'll be no more trouble with bad backs—

Doan's Kidney Pills

have been making weak kidneys strong for years. Doing it right here in Lowell. People you know say so. Read the following from a Lowell citizen:

Mr. G. S. Emerson of 512 Westford street endorses Doan's Kidney Pills as follows: He says: "I have been engaged in the grocery trade of Lowell for twenty years, and during the time I have done a lot of driving. This, if not the immediate cause of my trouble, certainly aggravated it. There was a very tender spot over the left kidney and frequent desire to urinate, dizziness, headache and constant backache. I read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing among sufferers in Lowell and resolved to try a box. I got it from Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and I was surprised with the immediate relief. I felt better after only a few doses, and continuing them I am today perfectly free of all the aches and pains and the credit is due to Doan's Kidney Pills. You can use my name as much as you like. I have quite an extended acquaintance through driving through the city for twenty-six years and I will vouch for what they have done for me."

Doan's Kidney Pills Sold by all Druggists. 50c. per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE SUN EXTRA!

6 O'CLOCK

ANNUAL REUNION

Of the Thirty-Third Massachusetts' Volunteers

HELD IN LOWELL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

An Interesting Letter Read From Captain Sladen.

The annual reunion of Company A, Thirty-third Massachusetts Volunteers was held yesterday afternoon in this city. A bountiful dinner was served in D. L. Page's dining room, 17 persons being present, including the ladies. The members of Company A present were President S. C. Smiley, Capt. Charles H. Kimball, Harry Meserve, John McQuesten, John R. Lowell, Jerome B. Brown, C. B. Coburn, Dr. Samuel Lawrence, Dudley L. Page and Henry Hope of Lowell; Jas. B. Smith of Lawrence, John Stone of Andover and Erastus A. Bartlett of Chelmsford. At the conclusion of the dinner, adjournment was taken to Post 159 hall where the annual business meeting was held. President Smiley in the chair. Mr. Smiley was re-elected president by acclamation and Henry Hope and Erastus A. Bartlett were by a similar vote. Comrade Stacey, the retiring secretary is in ill health and was unable to be present.

A letter of regret from Capt. Joseph A. Sladen, U. S. A., retired, father of Lieutenant Sladen of this city, now in the Philippines, whose portrait recently appeared in The Sun, was read and furnished considerable interest and amusement to the members. It may be stated here that Captain Sladen was the first man to organize a military company in the Lowell High school.

LAWRENCE NEWS

OPERATIVE WAS ARRESTED FOR STEALING 400 YARDS OF CLOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—Mary Roleau, an employe of the Everett mills was arrested today by Corporation Detective Batchelder for alleged larceny. At her home at 89 Oak street, nearly 400 yards of cloth, alleged to have been stolen from the mills was recovered. It consisted of drilling, dress goods and cotton cloth, some of which was made into shirts and other apparel. The woman has been an employe of the Everett weave room about two years.

PROPERTY IDENTIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, May 3.—More than $1000 worth of dry goods found in the possession of Annie Jopp, Louise Erbe and Amelia Hoffman, the three women who are charged with shoplifting were identified this afternoon by various dealers in this city. The goods were displayed in the police station and were viewed by the proprietors of ten stores and their clerks. All found something which had been stolen from them. The property included furs, silks, tablecloths, balls of yarn, spools of thread, corks and gloves.

FUNERALS.

GRAY—The funeral of Winnifred Gray took place from the home of her sister, Mrs. Callahan, 300 Thorndike street this morning. The remains were borne to the Sacred Heart church where a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McKory, O. M. I. Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan sang the Pie Jesu at the offertory and Mr. Andrew Hurley sustained the solo in the Libera. Miss Sullivan sang the hymn, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" as the remains were borne from the church. The bearers were: John Fahey, William Sullivan, Richard Bray and Edward Jennings. Among the floral offerings were a large pillow inscribed "Winnie" from the family; bunch of lilies, from friends; spray of white pinks, and other tributes also from friends. The funeral was largely attended and undertaker Davey had charge of arrangements.

Rev. Fr. McHory officiated at the grave.

BLAZE IN UNION STATION.

Box 465 at 8.20 o'clock Monday evening called the firemen to a very lively blaze in the inward baggage room of the Union station on Nashua street, Boston. The fire is supposed to have originated from a cross wire in the Western Union cable house. In the upper part of the baggage room. It travelled with great rapidity along a hanging balcony, on which a quantity of baggage was stored and a large number of trunks and sample cases were badly damaged. The loss to baggage, wires and building will probably reach $1000.

MRS. ANTHONY ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 3.—The National American Women's Suffrage association yesterday elected Susan B. Anthony president; the Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, vice president; Rachel F. Avery, corresponding secretary; Alice Stone Blackwell, recording secretary; Harriet T. Upton, treasurer; Carrie C. Catt, chairman of the committee on organization, and Laura Clay and Catherine W. Taylor, auditors.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW LONDON, Conn., May 3.—The body of a man, supposed to be John Boland of Long Island city, from papers found on his clothing was found near the west bound track of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Niantic this morning. He is supposed to have been struck and killed by a train while walking on the tracks during the night.

VISITORS IN LOWELL.

Members of the Gloucester city government, accompanied by City Messenger Fagan, early this afternoon visited the Merrimack mills for the purpose of witnessing the operation of an automatic stoker, owned by that corporation.

HE WILL LECTURE

Archbishop Keane Will Tour the Country.

IN AID OF THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

He Is Expected in Washington Soon.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Archbishop Keane, whose departure from Rome for a two years' leave was recently announced is expected in Washington before long. He will make his headquarters here and will go on extensive lecturing tours through the country, for the purpose of raising funds for the Catholic University. The archbishop was so long and favorably associated with the university as its rector that his appeals in its behalf are always productive of substantial results. There is no present purpose to erect new buildings, but to thoroughly endow those already erected. The large dormitory building has been named Keane hall in honor of Archbishop Keane. Two other buildings will be completed in the fall. That of the Holy Cross order will bring about forty additional members of that society to the university. The monastery of the Franciscan Fathers will be occupied in September by this ancient order.

TWO KILLED

IN AN EXPLOSION AT BENTON FALLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FAIRFIELD, Me., May 3.—A cooker in the mill of the Kennebunk Fibre company, Benton Falls, exploded this morning, killing two men named Skillings and Trueworthy, and injuring several.

KELLEY HELD

IN $1500 FOR SUPERIOR COURT ON CHARGE OF RAPE.

Francis J. Kelley, charged with rape the complainant being Mrs. Mary Lemay, had probable cause found against him and was ordered in $1500 for his appearance before the superior court. The crime was said to have been committed on April 28 in Room 8 of the Wentworth building. Kelly was represented by Daniel J. Donohoe, Esq., and Deputy Moffatt represented the government.

BIG FIRE

IN A PHILADELPHIA CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—A fire of unknown origin today destroyed Charles Bachurich's clothing store, and before the flames were subdued about 15 buildings, principally small dwellings in the vicinity were badly damaged. The entire loss is estimated at $150,000, covered by insurance. The store burned like paper, and some of the employes escaped with difficulty.

MORE TROOPS

REQUIRED TO ASSURE PEACE AT WARDNER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WARDNER Idaho, May 3.—The presence of the soldiers has eased the situation remarkably and last night the people were gradually regaining confidence, but it is felt that peace cannot be assured until 500 troops are quartered here. Capt. Batchelor and his 76 soldiers, assisted by 100 townsmen who are under arms, would give such resistance as would annihilate any ordinary force, but should the 1300 men from up Canyon Creek arrive fully armed, the little guard now here could hardly hope to cope with them. Last night on the flat near the railroad station, Capt. Batchelor and his men were encamped. Near them is a little force of armed men from the nearby towns, ready for any emergency.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—Forecast for Boston and Vicinity.—Fair tonight and Thursday; continued cool; northeast winds.

AN INQUEST HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 3.—The inquest over the remains of the two women, Mrs. Hickman and Mrs. Hassel, brought out little to add to the story of the tragedy, save in the testimony of Mr. Hassell, the estranged husband of the murderess. He stated that in London when his wife was Miss Virginie Rieck, she formed the same sort of attachment for a young woman as she did here for Mrs. Hickman.

The jury found that Mrs. Hassell shot and killed Mrs. Hickman as she slept, and then sent a bullet into her own brain.

THE JURY DISAGREED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The jury in the case of Theodore G. Willis, former city works commissioner, and S. Phillips, ex-police commissioner of Brooklyn, on trial for conspiracy, after having been out for seventeen and a half hours, reported today that they could not agree on a verdict. They were discharged by the court. The jury stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

BRIG.-GEN. ANDERSON ASSIGNED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Brigadier-General Thomas M. Anderson, who has returned recently from the Philippines, has been assigned to command of the Department of the Lakes.

MRS. HALL INSTANTLY KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 3.—Mrs. Ellen Hall of this city was instantly killed today by falling down stairs. Her neck was broken. She was 35 years old, and was visiting relatives here.

ITALIAN MINISTRY RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ROME, May 3.—The Italian ministry has resigned.

WAS ASSAULTED

Supt. Cumnock by a Night Spinner

WHO FORMERLY WORKED IN LOWELL MILLS.

The Assault Happened in a Woonsocket Mill.

In the district court of Woonsocket, R. I., yesterday a man who gave the name of Robert O'Grady, formerly of Lowell, was arraigned on a charge of assault on George W. Cumnock superintendent of the Social and Nourse mills. He pleaded not guilty and after the hearing of the case, was sentenced to 90 days in the county jail.

Here is the story in brief, as told in the court. Mr. Cumnock was the first witness called. He said that he knew O'Grady; had seen him twice Monday; at about 3 o'clock and 6 o'clock. O'Grady worked for Mr. about a week and he wanted his pay and he told him to settle with Mr. Mandeville, the overseer.

When O'Grady went to Mandeville Mr. Cumnock was not present but he said that O'Grady when he got the bill of his time, tore it up and threw it into Mr. Mandeville's face. Then later, while Mr. Cumnock was passing through the mill O'Grady came up to him and wanted his money. Witness said O'Grady was noisy and he told him to get out. O'Grady answered that he would go out when he was ready and that there wasn't enough men in the mill to put him out.

Witness then seized O'Grady and put him out in the entry and told him to get out. O'Grady squared off and bobbed around, struck witness once. Witness then seized him and threw him down and held him down until Constable Israel Blair came. Blair and witness then took O'Grady down stairs to the police patrol wagon which Mandeville had telephoned for.

In answer to the court Mr. Cumnock said that O'Grady had been drinking. When asked if O'Grady threatened him Mr. Cumnock said that he did, that he would be back again to see him and witness answered him that when he did he (witness) would be there.

C. P. Mandeville, overseer of spinning, was the next called. He did not see the assault, but he told what had occurred before it. How O'Grady got the bill of his time and tore it up and threw it in his face. He went into the entry after the assault occurred. He saw O'Grady on the floor, held down by Cumnock.

Constable Blair was sent for that evening. He went into the entry where Cumnock and O'Grady were. Cumnock had O'Grady down on the floor. Cumnock had blood on him, but he couldn't tell whether it was blood from himself or from O'Grady. He saw a bloody mark over Cumnock's eye. He then helped Cumnock to take O'Grady to the patrol wagon.

O'Grady then told his story. He said that when he got the bill of his time there was one day short in it; that was why he tore it up. Later when he saw Cumnock passing he spoke to him about it, and Cumnock asked him if he was looking for trouble and the first thing he did was to hit him in the ear and floored him. Cumnock struck him several times in the face and threatened to throw him out of the window. He said that he had two glasses of beer that afternoon and that he didn't remember that anyone told him to leave the room. When asked if he didn't strike Cumnock he said that he did but that he did it to defend himself. He said that Cumnock struck him several times in the face. He said that he was a poor man and worked in the mills for a good many years, that he was brought up in the mills in Lowell, over which Mr. Cumnock's brother presides.

The court said that it seemed that no more force than was necessary was used on him to subdue him and that he should have left the room when told to and he sentenced him to 90 days in in the Providence county jail.

Both parties in the assault, when they appeared in court, showed evidences of the affair. Supt. Cumnock's left eye was blackened and O'Grady's face was cut and marked in several places.

O'Grady was one of the night spinners in the mill and C. P. Mandeville was the night overseer of spinning.

MAIL ROBBER

ESCAPED FROM THE OHIO PENITENTIARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 3.—Timothy Hogan, the notorious mail robber, and one of the smoothest of criminals, escaped from the Ohio penitentiary yesterday afternoon. He has been employed on the tobacco contract and had secreted himself in a box just as the wagon was about to leave the penitentiary. As yet no trace of him has been discovered.

Hogan has a long criminal record and through the possession of keys to the mail boxes in nearly all the large cities committed extensive robberies.

MINISTER TO PERSIA

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The president has appointed Herbert W. Bowen of New York, as minister to Persia. Mr. Bowen was consul general at Barcelona before the Spanish war broke out.

MULES FOR MANILA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 3.—The steamer Leelanaw will sail for Manila today, with 250 government mules. She will also carry seventy soldiers under command of Lieut. Kipphard of the Fourth artillery.

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HIS LOVE GREW COLD.

(Continued.)

I asked him how I should ever tell my folks and that I would die before I'd tell them. I had said so much in his praise that I was ashamed to tell them and could never look them in the face.

"I asked him what the threats were and he said, 'They were threats on yourself which were just the same as if you put them on me.' He said I didn't come here to answer questions. You don't talk sense. Go back to your work, you haven't committed any crime there. I worked there before you did. I told him I was going away and he wanted to know where. I wouldn't tell him. He asked if my folks knew I was going and I said they did not. He then said: 'If you think so much of your folks, you ought to tell them.' I told him that I was going away on Thursday and he said he would see me before I went.

"We talked over our wedding at the time of his proposal and we set the date for October 19th. As the time drew near, I got everything ready for our marriage. I bought clothing and things for the house. I got a couch, furnishings for a chamber room and in fact every room in the house, dining room, parlor, kitchen, everything that one would desire to keep house. I showed them all to Mr. Riley on several occasions. I got my own clothing, wedding gown, house dress, underclothing and everything else one would need. I gave my notice on the 19th of September and left on the following 27th.

"This ended the direct examination at this point, the other jury was excused until tomorrow.

CROSS-EXAMINATION.

The first question put by Mayor Crowley in cross-examination was, "How old are you?"

"I was 27 years old on April 28th last," was the answer.

In response to further questions she reviewed her early residence in Lowell practically as she gave it in her direct testimony.

"Did you know when Mr. Riley's first wife died?" asked Mayor Crowley during the cross-examination.

"Yes, I read it on her tombstone. Mr. Riley took me to see her grave in the cemetery," answered the witness.

A great part of the early cross-examination was given to a review of the facts leading up to their close acquaintance and subsequent alleged proposal. Miss Crane testified in answer to a question and said that while they were going together Mr. Riley only missed two Wednesday evenings at her house and on one of these his brother's death called him away. She explained the presentation of the opera glasses at Christmas, saying that two nights before Christmas Mr. Riley took her to the Opera House and after they were seated he drew out the glasses from their case and passed them to her without a word. "I didn't think they were a present, then," said Miss Crane, "and after I had finished with them, I returned them to him and he put them in the case and put the case in his pocket. When we went home that night he gave me the glasses and told me they were a Christmas present. At that time she said I thought his attentions were more than mere friendship and as I had never taken presents from anyone, I didn't want to take them at first. But when he said he didn't give presents to any one else and said it was all right then I took it."

"Didn't you have some other motive?"

"Well, if he meant more than friendship I would accept the present but otherwise, I would not and that was partly why I made the remark.

During her entire examination Miss Crane had stood, while testifying but at this point, becoming wearied of the great strain she took a chair and began to relate the circumstances surrounding the proposal made by Mr. Riley.

"The proposal was made" she said, "on Wednesday, Jan. 26. I remember the date because I put it down in a memorandum and because Mr. Riley called my attention to it. When the others left the room, Mr. Riley drew up near where I was sitting and asked me to come and sit close to him. Then he began to lament about his brother's death, saying that people did not sympathize with him, seeming to think that he didn't need it. He said you might have brothers and sisters and friends who would sympathize with you but neither brothers, sisters nor friends could comfort and care for you as a wife could. Then he talked of marriage life and said he didn't like to live alone. He said: "I can get plenty of old maids and widows for a wife, but I want a nice young lady.' He said further that he wanted his daughter to live with him but not until he had a wife. Then he said that I had very bright ideas and put him very much in mind of his wife which he had often told me before. Then he said I could take her place very well, and concluded with 'What do you say?' I said yes. Then he said that he didn't expect me to love him as much as he loved me, but he said he would teach me to love him and he declared his love for me. He then spoke about the engagement present and spoke of a ring and a watch. He said we would not always live on Mt. Washington street."

"Did you ever hear that Mr. Riley had the reputation on Mt. Washington street of being a very wealthy man?" asked Mr. Crowley.

"I heard he was well to do," answered the witness.

"When you kept company with him you had that in your mind didn't you?

"Well, I didn't think much about it. Yes, I had it in my mind."

Continuing witness said "He never presented me with a ring, although he spoke to me about it in August at the beach. I was expecting a ring as he told me he was going to give it to me. My sister and I went to his house one night and my sister spoke about a little ring on my finger. Then when we were going home, I spoke about my sister's remarks, and he said: 'I must get you the ring that I promised you. When I get it, I'll get one like it for myself, for it is going to be a good one.'

"Mr. Riley suggested that we go to Lynn beach for he wanted me to spend my vacation at the same beach where he was. We went there and we paid our own expenses.

Recess.

Miss Crane resuming the stand, testified in further cross-examination: "Mr. Riley came home from Lynn a day before we did and I saw him the following Monday night. We were living in Pawtucketville then. On the occasion of my visit to Palmer with Mr. Riley, I went to Spfn...field with him on the return trip. It was designed to go to Palmer and then to Springfield. I made no suggestion to go to Springfield first that I can remember. He said that if Miss Maguire was at Palmer, she could accompany us to Springfield.

"I don't remember that Mr. Riley said: 'I never do anything deliberately that might get me into trouble,' with reference to the trip to Springfield.

"In his letter he signed himself 'Your own Mr. Riley,' and then put under it 'Park Riley'".

In response to a question witness said that she took no notice of the formality of the signature. "I received several letters from him" said the witness, "but I destroyed them all because the folks at the house used to bother me about them.

"Were they rocking with love?" asked Mayor Crowley.

"Yes, sir," responded Miss Crane.

"Would they read your letters?"

"Yes, they would. I don't think they ever opened my letters before I did, but we used to read each others' letters. The letter which was lost in the moving was received by me in Palmer. I didn't move for five months afterward. I kept it that long because it was in my trunk. I can't give any reason why I kept that particular letter and destroyed the rest.

"He called on me one evening when he was in Lynn and I was out. He asked me afterward why I wasn't home and I told him. Then he said: 'All the people on the street saw me call and will give me the laugh. I'll hear of it in Manchester next week.'"

When I explained he seemed satisfied with the explanation.

"In September I chided him for not visiting me as often as he had done before that time. Then he told me that we could not get married then as his business was upset and he would have to stay at his office and attend to his business.

Noon recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Miss Crane resumed the stand at the opening of the afternoon session and Mayor Crowley continued the cross-examination.

"On September 27, my sister went to the hospital," added the witness in response to a question "and on the same day I left the mill. It was not on that account, though, that I left the mill. At that time I was employed in the hosiery under Overseer James Thompson. I kept house for her while she was in the hospital. The following November, my sister took boarders. I bought the house furnishings at different times some of them in the summer. I bought the last of them in October, about the first of the month.

"It was in the middle of September that I told Mr. Riley that he was changing and he said he couldn't marry me then. I asked him for an explanation and he said things weren't going right. I don't know just what I thought about it. After this talk, I talked with him again in October. On a Friday evening in October he told me finally that he would not marry me; about the 1st of October. From September until the 21st of October he came about twice a week but not twice every week.

"When he came I told him that he had been calling on Miss McDermott on Pleasant street and he denied it. He afterward said that a Miss Cullinan invited him there. When I asked him if he was going to take another girl out riding, he asked me if I would mind it if he did. I told him that I wanted to be the only one he took out and he said it would be so. He promised to call that Sunday afternoon but he didn't call until night. I asked him if he had ever spoken to his folks of not getting married now and he said no. Then I asked him if he didn't think that they were expecting him to get married and he tried to get out of it as easily as possible. He said he was in a pickle all the time. He assured me that night that he was going with no other girl. While out riding subsequently I reproached him for coming so late. This time he came in a one-horse carriage and he always used to come in a two-horse buggy. We went toward Westford. He told me he would call on me that evening but he didn't come and I went to see him at his house the next night. I asked him why he didn't call and he said: 'For the simple reason that I did not care to call.' I only remained in the house a few minutes when he asked me whom I came to see. I told him that I came to see him. Then I went out with him and we drove to School street and Pawtucketville. I questioned him about his manner and he got out of it the easiest way he could, laughing and saying 'What difference is that to you?'

Then I went to his home with a letter on the following Thursday when I saw him at home. I put the letter xna?wieouleyfiOjty4Y.yl MMMMMMM in the kitchen stove but Mrs. O'Neil took it out. He looked in the store, and saw that it was not there. He called Mrs. O'Neil and she gave the letter to me and I gave it to him later. We went out riding after that, he asking me where I was going. On the way down he said: 'This is selfish of me taking you away. I suppose you came to see Mrs. O'Neil. I told him that I came to see him. While we were riding he asked me why I allowed any one to see into his affairs. I told him that I didn't think that Mrs. O'Neil would take the letter. Then he swore and called Mrs. O'Neil a name and told me a number of things about her. When we got down town he asked me to go into his office and see his bookkeeper who was asking for me. He then made an appointment with me and didn't keep it. I went to the house again He didn't want to talk much in front of Mrs. O'Neil. He went home with me and on the way I asked him what he and he said 'sometimes yes means no and he said sometimes yes means no with me.'

"I said 'Are you going to cast me aside now?'

"He said: 'I'm not going to marry you. I am going to live at a hotel. When he got to the gate he said, 'What do you want of an old fellow like me. I'm not a good man. I've got to mend my ways if I want to get to heaven.'

"I said that has nothing to do with it and he said, 'Why don't you get another fellow?'

"Then he asked me if I was ever in love before and I said no. Then he said, 'This is nothing; you'll get all over this, I've been in love many times.'

"Mr. Riley said he would come on Sunday, I said, 'Do you mean it in your heart?' Then he crossed his throat. He didn't come as he promised, but the following week he called at my house. I had written on Monday asking him why he didn't call and if he would like to see his own daughter treated like that.

"When he came he said I had put threats in the letter. I said, 'Did I put them on you and he said, 'You put them on yourself and that is the same as if you put them on me.'

"I said in the letter that I would rather die than tell my folks and at the end the letter I wrote, 'No, I would face death before I would tell them.'"

Miss Crane broke down at this point and answered with difficulty, the tears which would not be repressed coursing down her cheeks.

Continuing, she said: "On Wednesday afternoon, October 26, I went to see the lawyer to tell him my story. Mr. Riley didn't call on that Wednesday."

Witness was here asked if she went to a dance in Prescott hall with W. A. Hayes during her engagement and she denied it. The witness was still testifying at the time of going to press.

BAD GANG

CAPTURED IN THE MOUNTAINS AFTER DESPERATE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EL PASO, Texas, May 3.—Sheriff McStewart of Eddy county, New Mexico, arrived here, accompanied by a posse of four men in charge of four desperadoes who have been identified as George Musgrave, Veley, his brother, Daniel John, his brother-in-law, and one unknown. George Musgrave, is supposed to be the notorious "Black Jack." The gang was captured at Parker's Well in the mountains forty miles north of this city, after half an hour's fight in which over fifty shots were exchanged and two horses were killed. The gang was surrounded, and would have been killed had they not surrendered.

MOLINEUX CASE

AGAIN PRESENTED TO GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 3.—At the district attorney's office today, it was stated that within the past week District Attorney Gardiner had found a chemist in this city from whom, it is alleged, Roland B. Molineux attempted to purchase poisonous oxide in the early part of December last. The name of the chemist is kept secret. The preliminary hearing of witnesses before the grand jury in its second hearing of the Molineux case was begun this morning. It was said that the indictment, if found, will not be handed down until tomorrow.

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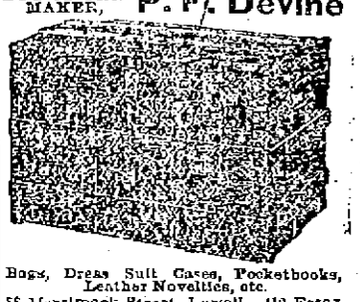
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The Simple Habits of the Man Who Is Putting a Belt of Wire Around the Earth.

They expected John W. Mackay over for the Fair wedding. But he did not come. He sent the daughter of his old partner a stomacher of diamonds and wrote her a beautiful letter. That was all. He could not bear to see, they said, the girl whom he had watched grow from babyhood, at the altar. Rich, full of worldliness, engrossed by affairs, John W. Mackay has a strong vein of sentiment left in him. And the wedding would have revived sad memories.

They say that at one time both he and Mrs. Mackay planned a match between John W. Mackay, Jr., and Miss Virginia Fair, and that both were patiently waiting for the young couple to grow up into years of earnestness. But the dream was shattered when young Mackay's skull was broken while hunting three years ago, and later when Clarence Mackay married Miss Duer, they gave up all hope of seeing the child of their guardianship united to them in marriage.

There was more than one reason why John W. Mackay wanted to see such a match consummated. The Mackays are Catholics, and so is Miss Fair, and the triple tie of fortune, feeling and religion is strong.

When young Mackay came to this country, in 1840, he had little hope of ever buying a stomacher of diamonds for any one. A tall lad of 9 years, the son of parents of religious inclination, he early knew that he must win his own way in the world. So when Webb, the shipbuilder, wanted a "boy," little Mackay accepted the situation and $2 per week with pleasure. He worked for some years at shipbuilding, doing as well as he could in the routine of office work, when chance took him to Louisville. He was here when the gold fever broke out and the forty-niners started for California.

GETTING THE FEVER.

He caught the fever, and with nothing except a miner's pick and a will he started for the coast, intending to dig through the very heart of the Sierras to strike gold.

He found gold on a rocky ledge on the site of what is now Virginia City, and rich find it was. Young Mackay, now a slender young fellow of handsome features, serious expression and pleasant ways, found himself a mine owner in a night.

In 1864 he found James C. Flood, William O'Brien, both friendly spirits, and formed a partnership with them. Young Mackay was always lucky in his partnerships, and seemed to know an honest man when he saw one.

Their first big success came in the Hale & Norcross mines, in which Mackay owned two-fifths of the stock. Then, in 1868, he formed another partnership, this time with James G. Fair, and the two struck silver so richly that in a year they mined $150,000,000 in silver and gold. That made them rich.

Fair grew to love Mackay during that mining period and when he died more than twenty years later, it was found that he had left his most precious possessions, the guardianship of his two girls and their fortunes, in the hands of his old partner.

Up to this time Mr. Mackay had worked as a common miner, and it was quite a come-down for the Widow Bryant to marry him. But he won her in Virginia City and the two started life with a big fortune. Mrs. Mackay at that time was a widow with a small child. She was very poor, as her husband, a practicing physician, had left her very little, and it is said that she seriously thought of earning her own living and that of her mother and child. But Mackay knew her and fell in love with her. She was at this time a great beauty and the men of Virginia City thought Mackay a lucky dog, indeed.

But mining is dirty work for a man and after he gets enough of the gold stuff he is willing to quit. So, soon after his marriage, Mr. Mackay arranged his Nevada and California mines in such a way that they would yield a steady income and, leaving them in the hands of overseers, he turned his attention to a project that had long been uppermost in his mind.

HIS OCEAN CABLES.

He had always cherished a scheme for the laying of a cable to Europe; and it is now a matter of history that, at the time Cyrus W. Field laid the Atlantic cable Mackay had one partly constructed from Alaska across Bering Strait, which here is only thirty-seven miles wide. This was to connect with a Siberian cable through Russia, and so communicate with England and the interior of Europe.

George W. Kennan was employed by Mackay to go to Siberia as a telegraph operator, and he was there when they sent word to him to abandon the project as Field had successfully laid his cable. Mackay's company had at that time spent a million, but they dropped the enterprise. It is said that they are taking it up now.

Soon the name of Mackay began to be known in the telegraph world. With money behind him he could do what others only thought and talked about. He soon controlled half the ocean cables of the world.

John W. Mackay believes in competition for the public benefit, but he never pushed it to the verge of ruin. When competing cable rates went to 12 cents a word, in the effort to force the new cable company out of the field, Mr. Mackay was satisfied with establishing a 25-cent rate and forcing his rivals to meet it permanently. This is a public benefit.

A day with the cable king is most interesting, though not wildly exciting. When in San Francisco he lives quietly at a hotel and stands at the door like any ordinary traveler. When in Paris, where he lives much of the year, he still keeps up his American ways. He has a substantial New York breakfast at 8, and, true to American training, is in the cable offices at 9.

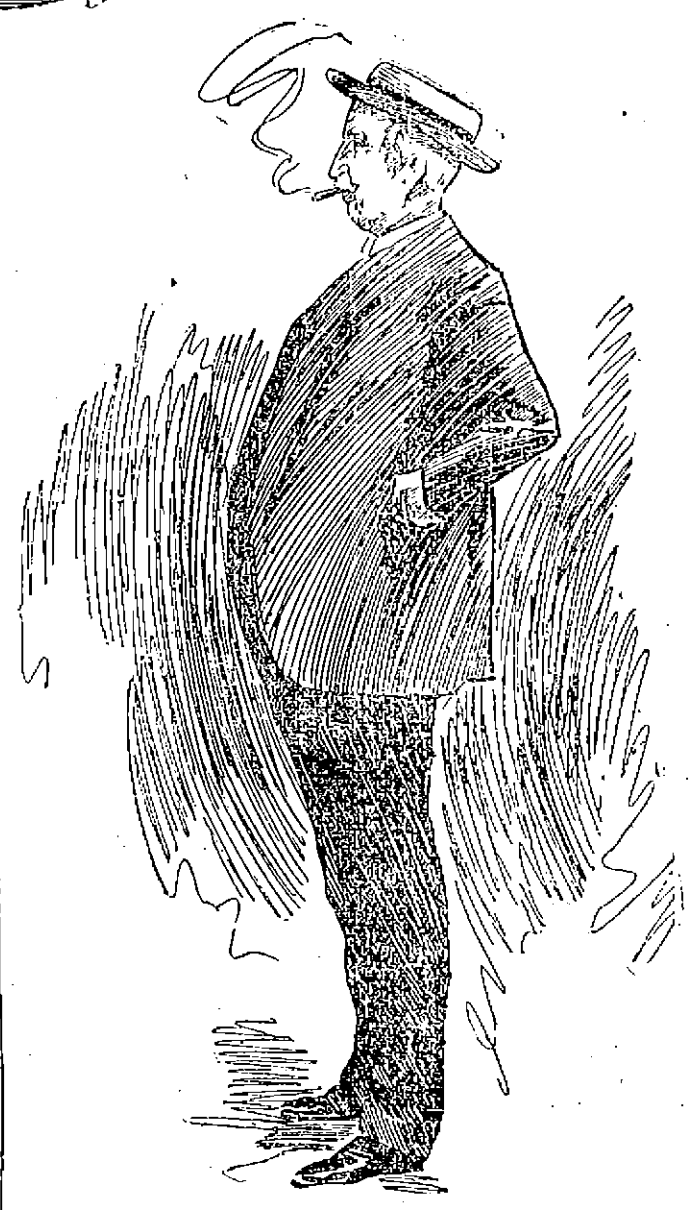
He works all day, principally directing ambitious plans for a furtherance of the cable systems of the world. For years he has not examined his daily mail and is ignorant of the contents of ninety out of a hundred letters that are sent to him. He has two stenographers who assort the letters and a secretary who answers them, dictating all day long.

HIS DAILY LIFE.

Mr. Mackay has never had a fad, and for that reason he is pronounced a sad man. But he is not sad. He reads a great deal, drives behind his horses and steers to enjoy himself in a quietly sensible way. He shoots seldom, fishes little, indulges in no great collections of orchids, is not interested in the sports except in a kindly way, and knows no great fancy except for his three little grandchildren, the offspring of his stepdaughter, the Princess Colonna. Andrea is his pet, and though he would doubtless have preferred the plain name of John, he never shows his disappointment. The death of his son subdued an already quiet temperament, and for the past two years the world has seen the cable king almost not at all.

With all wholespread movements, John W. Mackay has a wide sympathy, and it is asserted by his friends that if a Socialist were to approach him with outstretched hand he would drop a silver piece into it. He gives generously, and puts a vast amount of money into circulation by keeping up magnificent houses in four large cities of the world. His London house in Carlton House Terrace is magnificent.

Mr. Mackay is now reputed to be worth $112,000,000, a sum which is no doubt greatly exaggerated, but he has never been accused of hoarding or trying to accumulate more. On the contrary, he has risked millions in public enterprises.



JOHN W. MACKAY, THE CABLE KING, FROM A SNAPSHOT TAKEN OF HIM IN FRONT OF HIS FAVORITE HOTEL IN SAN FRANCISCO.

A YANKEE TROLLEY IN HAWAII

Chinese Are the Chief Patrons, and They Willingly Give Up Their Coin for a Ride.

The first American trolley car is running in Hawaii, and, strange to say, it runs through the Chinese quarter. John Chinaman, as every one knows, is averse to spending his money. He makes it by laborious scrubbing of clothes and by weeding in the gardens of the farmers, and when he gets his few dollars together he does not want to part with them.

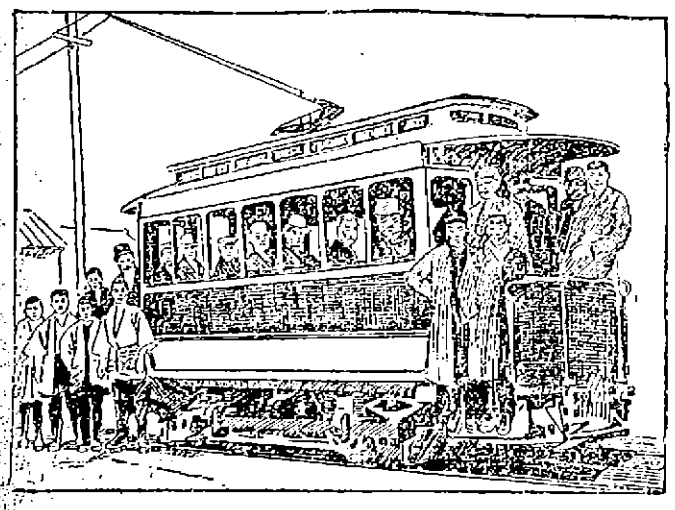
He is saving them to take back to China, where he can live forevermore on a small part of his earnings while here. But the sight of a trolley car going past his door is too much for him, and he yields to temptation, even though it robs him of his money.

The first American trolley in Hawaii is provided with cars that are exceedingly plain. They have seats of matting, and there is none of the fine decoration that is seen on our street cars. The woods are polished to make them more durable, but that is all.

The same cars are used winter and summer, and the car seats comfortably only twelve persons. The others can either crowd upon the platform or walk.

The motorman is not the skilled person who is employed in the crowded districts. Nothing ever gets in his path, and he can take his time stopping. All stand aside to see the trolley car pass by, and the motorman is a hero.

THE PATRONS OF THIS ROAD ARE LARGELY CHINAMEN, FOR THE ROAD RUNS THROUGH THE CHINESE DISTRICT, AND THE CHINAMAN WILLINGLY GIVES UP HIS MONEY FOR THE NOVELTY OF A TROLLEY RIDE.



ENJOYING A RIDE ON THE FIRST TROLLEY CAR IN HAWAII.

THE QUEEN'S ROYAL YACHTS.

The New Albert and Victoria Is to Be Launched Some Time in May.

The largest, handsomest and most expensively equipped yacht in the world is now being constructed at the government dockyard at Pembroke, England. Queen Victoria is to be the mistress of this floating palace, which is to be launched some time in May, and the fact that the new craft will probably cost close upon $2,000,000 has made the Pembroke dockyard the center of interest for hundreds of students of yacht building for months past.

In size the new yacht will be simply immense, when it is considered that its use is to be that of a pleasure craft. It is to be larger than the Valiant, William K. Vanderbilt's floating palace; larger even than the Hohenzollern, Emperor William's famous war yacht; larger than J. Pierpont Morgan's yacht Corsair, which is now under construction. In fact, the new royal yacht is to be about as large as the United States cruiser Baltimore, being 320 feet over all, 50 feet beam, with a draught of 18 feet and displacement of 4,000 tons.

The hull of the Queen's new yacht will be of steel, sheathed with wood and covered with copper. She will be provided with double bottoms and will have three masts, three funnels and a clipper stem. She will be fitted with machinery that, while powerful, will be conducive to the swiftest speed. There will be two sets of triple expansion four-cylinder engines, driving twin screws, and having 11,000 horse power. The high-pressure cylinder of each engine is to be 2334 inches in diameter, and the intermediate cylinder 44½ inches, all having a stroke of 39 inches.

The steam is to be supplied by eighteen Belleville boilers, the grate area being 840 feet, and the heating surface 260,000 square feet. It is expected with this machinery the yacht will be able to make twenty knots an hour.

RUSHING THE WORK.

Although the yacht is not yet nearly ready for launching, the office of the British Admiralty is making preparations to rush the work as soon as she has left the ways. It was originally intended that the yacht should be used for cruising this summer, but of course this is an impossibility. It is hoped, however, that by making every effort it will be possible for the vessel to go into commission next fall, in which case it will probably be used on an extended Mediterranean trip next winter.

Scores of the most expert artisans to be found in the United Kingdom have been engaged, and as soon as the craft has been successfully launched they will proceed to furnish and decorate the interior in a manner to make it by all odds the most magnificent afloat.

The question of the name to be given this new royal yacht has caused the Queen no little trouble of mind. The Prince of Wales has urged her to christen it the Balmoral, while several members of the Admiralty Board have favored calling her the Enchantress. If the matter were left entirely to the Queen and no outside suggestions had been urged upon her it is safe to say that no other name than Victoria and Albert would have been thought of.

For the Queen the name Victoria and Albert suggests many tender memories of the Prince Consort. Together, the royal bride and her young husband enjoyed many pleasant cruises, and this was the name that was suggested to be borne by the first yacht that was constructed under their joint direction, and since that time every craft that has been regarded as the Queen's own royal yacht has been known as the Victoria and Albert.

Whether she will change this custom when it comes to naming her new private yacht remains to be seen.

The history of the royal cruisings is an interesting one, especially at this time, when such a magnificent yacht is to take the place of those on which the Queen was wont to sail. The first long sea voyage taken by her Majesty and Prince Albert was in the summer of 1842, two years after their marriage, when the Queen decided to visit Scotland, in order that she and the Prince Consort might have a respite from the cares of state, and, at the same time, view the scenes made familiar to them by Scott in his novels.

FIRST STEAM YACHT.

At the request of the Queen the Royal George was taken in hand at Woolwich dockyard, and was thoroughly repaired and redecorated, particular attention being paid to ventilation. The Royal George was an old vessel, even at that time, but her graceful lines still won the admiration of sailors.

The Prince Consort was not satisfied with her, however, and soon after this memorable cruise began the construction of a steam-propelled yacht, and in 1843 the first Victoria and Albert was launched. She was of 1,412 tons displacement and 400 horse power, and for several years the royal couple made frequent use of this yacht, and always under the command of the same officer, Capt. Lord Adolphus Fitz Clarence, the second natural son of William IV., who after a career of sixteen years in the navy, was appointed to the Royal George in 1830, and continued to fill the coveted position of commander of the premier royal yacht for more than twenty years.

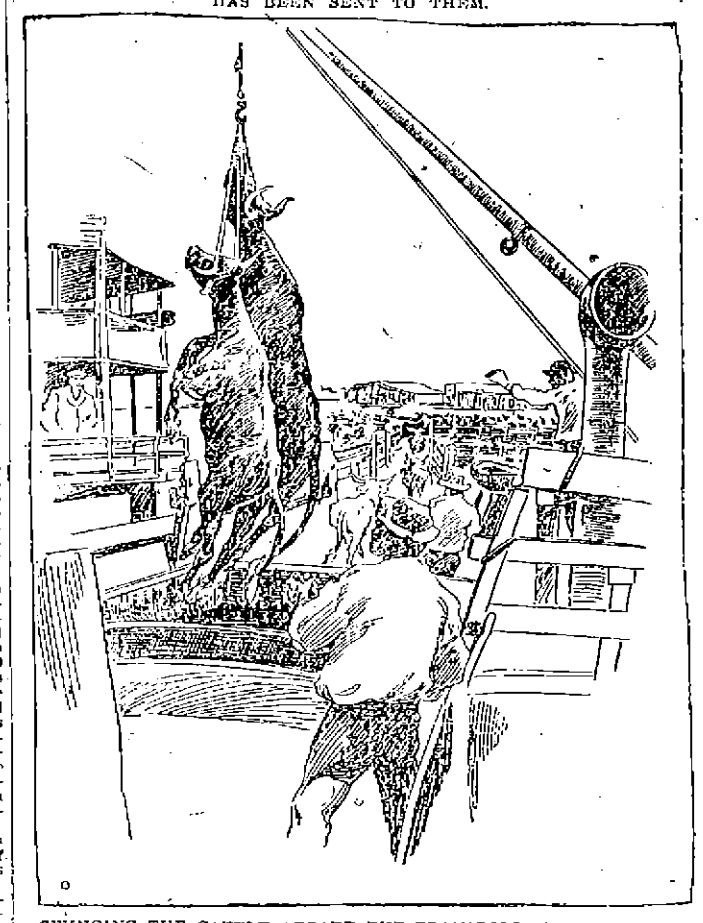
In 1851 the Prince Consort decided to build another yacht, and the second Victoria and Albert was laid down at Pembroke. She is a wooden paddlewheel vessel, with a displacement of 2,470 tons and engines capable of registering 2,080 horse power. That she has always borne the reputation of being one of the most seaworthy craft ever launched speaks well for the shipbuilding abilities of Prince Albert, for she was built, furnished and decorated entirely in accordance with his instructions. During the last years of the life of the Prince Consort this was the vessel in which the Queen and her husband always traveled.

Often since his death the Queen has been urged to permit the construction of a more modern vessel, but has always refused to consider such a suggestion.

For some time past, however, the Victoria and Albert has shown signs of decay, while the worn condition of her boilers does not permit her to exceed a low speed under the most favorable conditions.

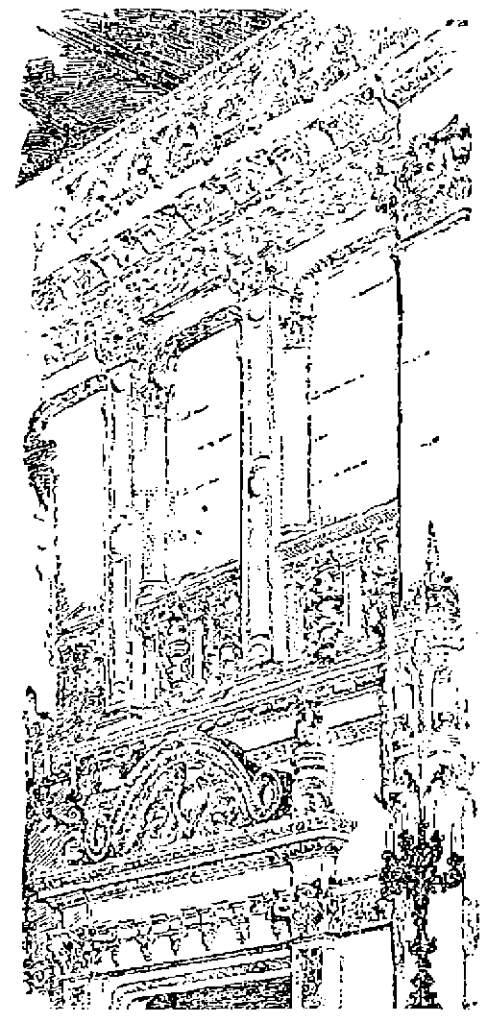
In view of these circumstances the Queen was forced to consent to the construction of this more suitable vessel; but, although she has taken considerable interest in the work that has been done and will view its completion with pleasure, she still insists that she will never abandon the old yacht, which is so intimately associated with her pleasure during the life of the Prince Consort.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN MANILA WILL SOON ENJOY THE LUXURY OF ENGLISH ROAST BEEF RAISED ON WESTERN SOIL FROM THE BEST OF OLD ENGLISH STOCK. A TRANSPORT OF BEEF HAS BEEN SENT TO THEM.



SWINGING THE CATTLE ABOARD THE TRANSPORT SHIP WHICH IS TO GO TO THE PHILIPPINES.

CEILING DECORATION IN THE MAIN SALON OF THE QUEEN'S NEW YACHT, WHERE, IF HER MAJESTY LIVES, SHE WILL SPEND MANY HOURS AFLOAT.



THE INTERIOR OF THE QUEEN'S SPLENDID NEW YACHT, EXACTLY AS IT WILL LOOK WHEN LAUNCHED IN MAY.

FOR OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

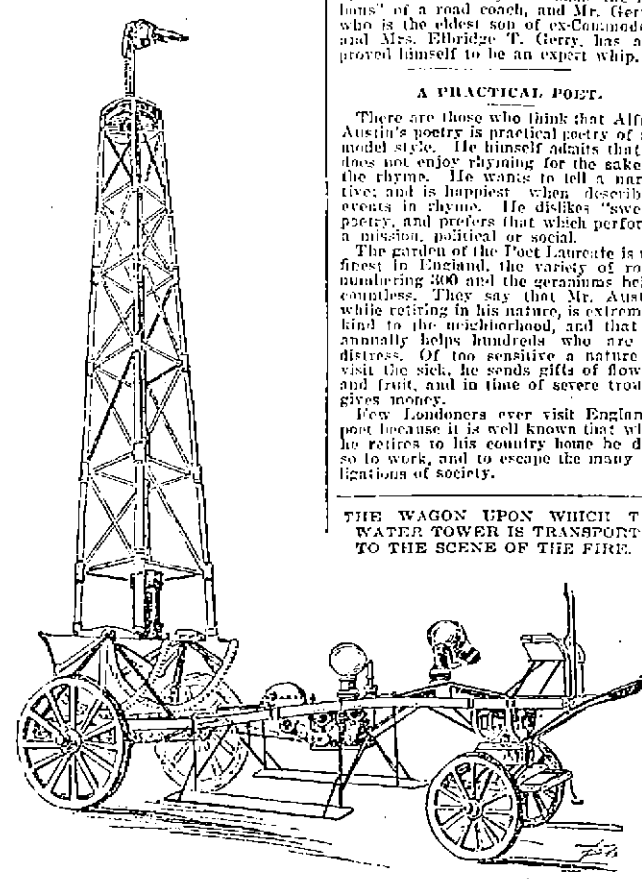
This has been a year of terrible fires, particularly in New York City, where fire has destroyed $40,000,000 in property and taken more than one hundred lives this year. The Windsor Hotel fire, which occurred in the afternoon of St. Patrick's Day, was a horrible casualty. After the fire fifty bodies were found in the ruins. The burning of Idle Hour, where W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and his bride were spending their honeymoon, was another unusual fire. So thoroughly has the fire fiend done its work that the fire insurance companies have paid out $10 this year where they paid out only $1 last year.

One of the greatest losses has been in the sky-scrapers, which are built so tall that they cannot be readily reached with the hose. Although we have not in this city any buildings of phenomenal height, yet it is a fact that there are several the top stories of which could not be effectively reached by our Fire Department.

It is, therefore, proposed to the department that they consider some of the new water towers which are now being investigated in New York City. One of these towers has a very high swinging attachment, by which water can be forced as high as the top of the tower, and from this height thrown through a nozzle-like projection upon the flames. It is rumored that the Fire Department of this city has had such a tower offered to them for consideration, but of this we could obtain no accurate information.

One of the advantages of this tower is that it works very quickly and without endangering the lives of the firemen. It is raised by a simple mechanical means, and when its work is done it is carted back to the engine house.

THE TOP OF THE WATER TOWER FROM WHICH WATER IS DISCHARGED UPON THE BURNING SKY-SCRAPER.



THE PORTABLE WATER TOWER WHICH, IT IS RUMORED, HAS BEEN OFFERED FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

THE WAGON UPON WHICH THE WATER TOWER IS TRANSPORTED TO THE SCENE OF THE FIRE.

BEEF ON THE HOOF FOR DEWEY

A Transport Loaded with Good Dinners Has Been Shipped from San Francisco to Manila.

For the first time Dewey's men in the Philippines will have fresh beef for dinner. It will not be canned beef nor corned beef, but beef on the hoof, freshly killed and ready to be roasted in good English style. There are good cooks in the Philippines and there is no reason why a broiled beefsteak and a well-served fillet should not be a feature of the army dinner table before long.

Many hundred heads of beef, all brought from the famous cattle districts of Michigan, Iowa and Illinois, were loaded into the transport and settled in comfortable ocean quarters. These cattle are well fatted and will arrive at the end of their month's journey in good condition. Here they will be placed in army cattle yards and kept until needed for the slaughter house.

Civilized men away from home longs for the flesh pots of his native land. All the choice game, all the fine fruits and all the extra large vegetables do not keep him from sighing for the good roast to which he has been accustomed, and it was as a reward for our soldiers, as well as to afford them a healthful necessity, that the meat was shipped for them.

Canada mutton is such an expensive product that it can hardly be shipped in quantities to the Philippines, but it is hinted that the commissary department of the navy is looking around for a bargain in the good Canada product in order to send good chops and a savory boil to the Manila men.

THE COACHING PARADE.

The annual parade of the Coaching Club is to be held in New York, the first or second Saturday of May. The programme of the parade this year is to be unlike that at any of the previous demonstrations of the club. In the past the members met, with their coaches and parties, in Fifth avenue near the Metropolitan Club, and then drove through the Park, across Seventy-second street and out Riverside Drive to Claremont. The members and parties will meet this spring at the Metropolitan Club for luncheon, and about 3 o'clock the parade will form in Fifth avenue at the plaza, and then follow the old route.

Twelve members of the Coaching Club have already promised to have their coaches in the parade. Three new members will make their debuts—James B. Ensis, Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Robert Livingston Gerry. Mr. Vanderbilt, who is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, although a young man just out of college, has demonstrated his ability to "handle the ribbons" of a road coach, and Mr. Gerry, who is the eldest son of ex-Commodore and Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry, has also proved himself to be an expert whip.

A PRACTICAL POET.

There are those who think that Alfred Austin's poetry is practical poetry of the model style. He himself admits that he does not enjoy rhyming for the sake of the rhyme. He wants to tell a narrative; and is happiest when describing events in rhyme. He dislikes "sweet" poetry, and prefers that which performs a mission, political or social.

The garden of the Poet Laureate is the finest in England, the variety of roses numbering 300 and the geraniums being countless. They say that Mr. Austin, while retiring in his nature, is extremely kind to the neighborhood, and that he annually helps hundreds who are in distress. Of too sensitive a nature to visit the sick, he sends gifts of flowers and fruit, and in time of severe trouble gives money.

Few Londoners ever visit England's poet because it is well known that when he retires to his country home he does so to work, and to escape the many obligations of society.

BASE BALL.

New Bedford is certainly to have a strong independent ball team this season, composed principally of collegians and conducted after the style of the independent teams which represented that city a number of years ago.

A number of gentlemen who were interested in the old independent team are behind the movement and Olympic field in the Whale City will be leased from its owners.

Thomas J. Brady, the Brown player, of New Bedford, will captain and manage the team. Already he is after players and some of them whom he has on his string who are quite certain to play there are John Gammons of New Bedford, who, when he was on the Brown team, made a fine reputation as a ball player; Ed. Robinson, another Brown player and a pitcher; Albert Rodman, a Brown first baseman; Walter Curley, Georgetown University, second baseman; Harry Kelley, Tufts, catcher; and Crolius, captain of the Dartmouth team.

Brady, Gammons, Robinson and Rodman were four of the Brown team of 1896, which held the undisputed title of college champions, not losing a single championship game that year.

There will probably be one or two other local men on the team. As soon as Olympic field can be put in good condition Manager Brady will invite local aspirants to participate on the field, and will pick one or two men from these candidates. The field will have a grass diamond this season, and as soon as it is rolled will be in better shape than it ever was before.

The season will be opened with a game Decoration Day morning and after that date home games will be played twice a week, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Independent ball is the only kind that has ever been successful in New Bedford, and the outlook seems bright for another good season.

There will be an unusually large number of strong independent teams in the field this summer, including the Attleboros, North Attleboros, Newton Athletics and Carters of Franklin.

Lajoie is playing an excellent second base for the Quakers, says the New York Herald.

In its seven years of existence it is figured the net profits of the 12 club league have been $1,500,000, while $1,500,000 has been paid out in salaries.

It looks rather odd to see the name of St. Louis leading all the rest of the league clubs. It is likewise a little irregular to see Boston in the middle of the list. The players of Manager Selee's club seem to be repeating last season's start, and the Boston supporters are making predictions now as to whether they will show a similar burst of speed a little later in the season.

Mike Birmingham has joined the Mansfield, Ohio, club.

Manager Burnham of Brockton has added to his list of players a catcher whose name is Hugh Kellackey, and is is also in a fair way to get Clancy, his shortstop of last year, this season. Bill Day, who is living at Newport News, Va., has been heard from and is likely to be one of the nine. The team is expected to report Monday.

The New England League will be a fine thing without doubt. Manager Moore of the Taunton team has been sick a week with erysipelas and it must be that he spent his time reading over the town records of Raynham, for he found out somewhere that Ezra Lincoln was still among the notables residing there. Ezra still thinks he can pitch, and he has allowed this opinion to induce him to make an agreement to pitch five games for the Tauntons. It is safe to say that he will not be asked to finish out his agreement.- New Bedford Mercury.

Boch of Georgetown university, must be awarded the palm as the great college pitcher of the year, having twirled successfully against Harvard, Yale, Pennsylvania and Princeton. He has received a very tempting offer from the Milwaukee Western League club.

Manager Smith of Portland has secured from the Reading club of the Atlantic league. Holmes and Outfielder Spratt. Holmes is a new man to the league, but is said to be a very fast young catcher. Spratt last year ranked as one of the best fielders of the Atlantic league, playing all the season with the Reading club, which finished third in the league race.

Tessier, who pitched for the Mathews last year, will play with the Cambridge team of the New England league.

"Billy" Connors, who has made a reputation with the Emeralds has been signed to play with the Newports of the New England league. His friends expect him to make a good showing.

The Mathews are playing in Brockton this afternoon. Ganley and McCarthy of Lowell are playing with the Brocktons.

The Textile team and the Lowell Press are playing at the Fair Grounds this afternoon.

On next Saturday the Fair grounds will be the scene of what promises to be as fine an exhibition of base ball as could be desired. The contesting teams will be the South Ends and the strong Boston University team and the relative merit of both teams is the criterion on which judgement is taken.

The South Ends will place their strongest team upon the diamond as they are anxious to win the first game and also to have the distinction of defeating a crack college team.

The Boston University team will most likely have its star twirler, Robinson in the box against the South Ends. The latter team however is determined to win and it makes no difference who does the twirling, the local team feels confident that the termination of the game will see them victorious. The attendance should be large at next Saturday's game as Lowell base ball enthusiastics bid fair to receive that which they have always clamored for—good clean and fast base ball. On Saturday May 13 another good game will be played as most likely the Tufts college team will be the opponents of the South Ends on that day. The Peabody A. C. had been looked for that day, but the management of the local team will endeavor to transfer that game to the 20th. inst. The Tufts college team wrote to the South Ends last Friday desiring to come to Lowell on the above date and the base ball public will most likely see Sammy Curran who pitched for the South Ends last year go in against his old companions on the Fairgrounds May 13. From appearances now Lowell will see some fast base ball playing this season and the public should accord the liberal patronage the game deserves. Next Saturday's game will start at 3 o'clock sharp and William F. Thornton will officiate as umpire. The South Ends' battery will be announced later.

Pete Reagan will play short stop for the South Ends in their game with Boston University on Saturday.

The Newtowne club of Cambridge will probably play at the Fair grounds Saturday, June 3rd.

The South Ends will play a return game with the Peabody team at Peabody, June 10. The crack Attleboro team which defeated New England league teams shall perhaps be seen in Lowell at the Fair grounds Saturday, May 27th.

The South Ends shall it is thought play a benefit game for some local charitable institution in a few weeks. The game will be played on a Saturday at the Fair grounds.

The Boston University team should prove a great attraction at the Fair grounds next Saturday. Jimmy Stines will do the catching for the South End team in the Boston University-South End game, Saturday.

The South Ends are booking some fine teams for games in Lowell.

The Volunteers have organized for the season of 1899 and are now ready to play any team under 14 years of age. Send all challenges to John Riley 37 Fulton street. The players are as follows: J. Riley, c, manager; W. Golden, p, captain; J. Lynch, 1b; J. Kennedy, ss; C. Slowey, 2b; O. Bryne, 3b; James Riley, lf. J. Greely, cf; J. Quinn, rf.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

A PLEASANT, SIMPLE, BUT SAFE AND EFFECTUAL CURE FOR IT.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases causing a pressure on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing; headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played-out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surface of the stomach. To secure prompt and healthy digestion is the one thing necessary to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet composed of Diastase, Aseptic, Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and Fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrance of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge there from passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of in- of men after using only one box of biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

Send for little book, mailed free, on stomach troubles by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

FRANK STEWART

GENIAL MANAGER OF "BROTHER FOR BROTHER" A WAR VETERAN.

There were but few of the numerous Lowell acquaintances of Manager Frank Stewart of the "Brother for Brother" company, which had a very successful run in Music Hall recently, that knew that he has just returned from a hard campaign in the Philippines. Mr. Stewart was with the Astor battery in the Manila bivouacs, and marches and was engaged in several of the most important battles in that vicinity.

COLORED BAPTISTS

WILL HOLD CONVENTION IN HAVERHILL FROM MAY 18 TO 21.

The fourth convention of the Colonial Baptist Association, composed of colored Baptist churches of New England will convene this year in the Calvary Baptist church in Haverhill from May 18 to 21. The officers are Rev. W. Ryan, president; Rev. W. Holland, vice president; Rev. Johnson W. Hill, secretary; Rev. Walter Gay, corresponding secretary; Rev. A. W. Adams, Rev. A. C. Powell, Rev. Leroy J. Montague, Rev F. G. W. Fowlks, and Rev. B. W. Farris, executive committee.

The convention will be opened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, May 18.

The churches which will be represented are:

Immanuel, New Haven; Macedonia, Ansonia, Ct., Calvary, Norwich; Congdon street, and Ebenezer, Providence; Union, Pawtucket; Ebenezer and St. Paul, Boston; Zion, Lynn; John street, Worcester; Calvary, Haverhill; St. John, Woburn; Shiloh, West Medford; Baptist Mission, Winchester; Peoples' Portsmouth. Lowell colored people have no church of their own here but a number of the colored sisters and brothers of the Spindle city have expressed their intentions of being present at the coming convention in Haverhill.

HERMANN SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRESLAU May 3—The trial of Herrman, charged with the murder of his three wives whose bodies he was said to have walled up in a cellar, was concluded here yesterday. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment and 10 years' loss of civil rights.

In addition to the murder of his wives Herrmann was charged with having caused the death of his 13 children, who all died young.

TEN DAYS' CONVENTION.

A ten days' convention was begun at the Wesley church in Runels' hall, last evening, a very large audience being present. The principal speaker at the meetings will be Rev. William Howard Whipple of Brooklyn.

FIFTEENTH BIRTHDAY.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer celebrated their fifteenth birthday at the home of their parents, No. 2d O'Connell street. Monday evening. The time was pleasantly passed with games and vocal and instrumental music.

Mrs. McNamee of Stackpole street has been entertaining her niece, Mrs Chester Wallace of Littleton, N. H.

ARMORY MATTERS

DRILL OF THE AMBULANCE CORPS LAST EVENING.

At the armory last evening the Ambulance Corps had a drill preparatory to the competitive drill of the corps which will be held in Boston in the near future. Company G also had its weekly drill.

The second game in the military tournament at the armory alleys last evening resulted in a victory for Team Two of Company C by 65 pins. Captain Carr was the only man to pass the 500 mark, he having a total of 508 and a single string of 210. Captain Greig also passed 200 for a single. The score:

Team Two, Co. C.				
Richardson	177	129	134	440
Berry	153	123	118	394
Greig	135	155	206	496
Faneuf	185	168	144	497
Kelsey	123	152	168	443
Totals	773	727	770	2275
Team Two, Co. G.				
Gair	165	126	161	443
Carr	135	219	160	508
F. Hunton	96	132	137	365
Jones	134	156	105	415
L. Hunton	149	177	123	449
Totals	683	601	726	2210

FILIPINO JUNTA

SAYS AGUINALDO DENIES CONNECTION WITH PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 2.—Representatives of the Filipino junta say they have received a telegram from Aguinaldo dated April 30th, in which he states that his government has nothing to do with the present peace negotiations, which, he asserts are being conducted by a group of half casts and creoles who are anxious for peace in the expectation of getting high offices under a new government. Several of these men, Aguinaldo says, are members of the Filipino congress, where they are endeavoring to out-vote him. Aguinaldo added that he had had no direct negotiations with the Americans since the fall of Malolos, when certain proposals passed between Dr. D. C. Worcester of the American Philippine commission and a representative of Aguinaldo looking to a peace based upon independence with an American alliance.

Aguinaldo disavows the present negotiations and adds that under no circumstances will he accept an American protectorate. The dispatch concludes with a contemptuous reference to Major Arguelles as a Spanish officer who has no more authority to act on behalf of Aguinaldo than has Luna himself.

NINTH ANNIVERSARY

OF COURT SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN OBSERVED LAST EVENING.

Court Samuel de Champlain, F. of A. observed its ninth anniversary last evening with a whist party and dance, which was held in Foresters' hall. There was a large attendance and a general good time was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Whist was commenced at 8.45 and concluded shortly before 10 o'clock. At the conclusion of the whist playing, dancing was begun and was enjoyed until after midnight. The winners at whist were awarded suitable prizes. The committee in charge of the affair was as follows: General manager, George Labrie, assistant, J. B. Hurtubise; floor marshal, Henri Chaput; assistant, J. Napoleon Cote; aids, Alphonse Gaudette, Edmonde Lambert, Alphonse Vallerand, Damasse Naud; reception committee, Mizael Martin, chairman; Fred Rocheville, Thomas Caille, Joseph Boudreau, Onesime Grondine, Geo. Hartl, Hermidas Vallerand, Dolphis Giroux, Eugene Boudreau, Frank Brassard, Edmond Ducharme, Euclide Monbleau, Hubert Gregoire.

SPAIN'S $20,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 2.— Acting on cable instructions from the governor of the bank of Spain at Madrid, the French ambassador, M. Cambon, has completed arrangements for the transferring to Spain the $20,000,000 received from the United States. The first treasury warrant of $5,000,000 will be delivered to the National city bank on the 4th instant and the next two warrants for $10,000,000 on the tenth instant. M. Taigny acting first secretary of the French embassy, will leave Washington tomorrow with the first $5,000,000 warrant. M. Bobufve of the embassy staff, will take the next two warrants for $10,000,000 leaving here next week, in time to deliver them on the 10th. The Spanish authorities have made no arangement for receiving the last warrant for $5,000,000. The entire cost will be about $40,000 to $50,000 before the change is complete.

NO LOAFERS ALLOWED

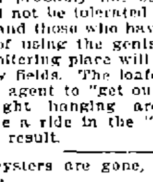
General Agent Haseltine of Haverhill has established an ironclad rule at the B. & M. depot in that city, which will probably not be broken. Loafers will not be tolerated about the premises and those who have been in the habit of using the gents' waiting room as a loitering place will be obliged to seek new fields. The loafers are warned by the agent to "get out" and if they are caught hanging around the second time a ride in the "hurry up" will be the result.

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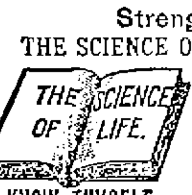
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WANTED—Christian man or woman to qualify as correspondent. Salary $600. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope to Secretary, care Sun.

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MEALERS and boarders wanted at Central Restaurant, 434 Central street, opposite Union street. Price low. Meals at all hours.

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LOST—A black and tan dog, has a collar with bell on but no name. Finder return to 77 Saratoga street.

LOST—Small Scotch terrier; short legs and long, shaggy brown coat. Reward at 302 Nesmith street.

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The undersigned takes this public method of showing her appreciation to all persons, who, by acts of kindness, by floral evidences of grief, by tender words of condolence during the illness and death of my beloved sister, the late lamented Grace M. Caskin. Each and all will be held in loving and lasting remembrance by MISS SARAH CASKIN.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone 439-4.

ANNUAL RECEPTION

OF E. LINCOLN NOWELL'S PUPILS

E. Lincoln Nowell's annual reception and exhibition was held in Prescott hall last night and about 60 couples attended. Preceding the dance was the exhibition which gave opportunity for some very graceful and pleasing work. The grand march was led by Master Ben Dow and Miss Florence Parkin. The pupils and the dances in which they appeared were as follows:

Jolly Jack—Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Louise McOsker, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Hoole, Emma McOsker, Blanche Umpleby, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Paul McOsker, Master Hans Borjes, Master Will Sawyer, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Pansy Sawyer.

Irish Washerwoman—Louise McOsker; Emme McOsker.

Stars and Stripes—Carrie Tyrrell.

Fauntleroy—Elsie Umpleby, Elmo Lofgren, Master Fenwick Umpleby, Gilbert Beane,

Gavotte Florence Parkin, Martha Taylor, Katherine Dewire, Patricia Hoole, May Beane, Louise McOsker, Master Paul McOsker, Master Ben Dow, Master Felton Moody, Master Will King, Master Will Borjes, Master Hans Borjes.

The aids were Alfred A. Cutting, Robert W. Thomson, George W. Gilman, Sidney M. Whitman.

ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

BRILLIANT CONCERT AT ASSOCIATE HALL LAST EVENING.

The Lowell Orchestral society closed its season with a complimentary concert given to the honorary members and their friends at Associate hall last evening. The program for the orchestra was selected by the honorary members and included a number of the most popular pieces played by the society during the season, all of which were rendered with accuracy and precision and in a manner to gratify their warmest supporters. Miss Jennie Coren, the popular soprano soloist, appeared in a number of selections and added new laurels to her already secure reputation. Mr. W. E. McPherson of Boston, a basso of the first order, captured the audience with his selections which were given in a masterly style. His popularity in Lowell is henceforth assured. Miss Mary Harrington, a pupil of Prof. Borjes, made her first appearance in public, and performed De Beriot's Fantasia Ballet in four difficult movements. The first three movements she played in a way that captivated the audience and demonstrated that she has talent of a high order and remarkable skill for her years. At the end of the third movement, the ushers supposing that it was the termination of the piece created something of a sensation by rushing to the stage with flowers. This unfortunate incident which she failed to comprehend, together with the excessive heat and intense excitement in one so young, overcame Miss Harrington so that she became quite nervous. Had she terminated her selection with the third movement, it would under the circumstances have been much easier for her, but she pluckily played the piece to the end and retired amid the most generous applause from the audience. The Citizen this morning in speaking of Miss Harrington's performance says: "She handled her bow with skill and precision, showing excellent promise for so youthful a musician," and added: "Her friends have reason to believe that she will reap success in the future." The Mail in speaking of her performance says: "She is a promising young amateur, and gave a very clever performance of this difficult selection in spite of the difficulty engendered by a first appearance."

Mr. Fiert, as accompanist, acquitted himself in a most creditable manner, giving entire satisfaction to the soloists and the audience.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

AND CONCERT AT THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

A large audience was present last evening at the First Universalist church to listen to a fine concert program. A phonograph in charge of Mr. U. H. Battye added greatly to the length of the program and also to the enjoyment of the audience. The records were very fine and the tones came pure and true. Miss Ruth Crawford in a number of selected reading, was a popular contributor to the evening's pleasure and received deserved encores.

Winsome Nettie Studley sang herself into the good graces of the audience who was so delighted with her sweet rendition of popular melodies that it applauded her to the encore and verily would have kept her singing yet if the people composing it had had their own way. The program in full follows:

Phonograph selections—Metropolitan solo, Ben Bolt; Zither serenade.

Reading by Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Sleighride Party, Mocking Bird, Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders.

Reading of Ruth Crawford.

Phonograph selections: Holy City, Hot Corn, Piccolo solo, Annie Laurie; Suwanee river.

Soprano solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections. Georgia campmeeting, Skylark polka, On Board the Oregon, Patrol Comeque, Cornfield Melody.

Solo by Miss Studley.

Phonograph selections: Zylophone solo. Dancing on the Barn Floor, Golden Harp, Same Old Smile, Marching Through Georgia.

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There is nothing more striking and pleasing to look upon, than a hearty, ruddy face, gained by honest toil. They are the saving of the nation, these toilers of both sexes struggling for daily bread.

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GIRLS' EDUCATION

Discussed By Miss Alice Freeman Palmer

BEFORE THE HIGHLAND WOMENS' CLUB.

Closer Attention to Schoolroom Sanitation.

A very interesting and instructive lecture was delivered yesterday afternoon before the Highland Women's club by Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer of Cambridge. Her subject was "The Education of Girls." The hall was filled and Mrs. Palmer was listened to by the large audience with great attention. Mrs. Palmer particularly spoke of the great responsibility that rests on American mothers now, compared with that of 40 years ago. She quoted statistics showing that there are 25 occupations in which girls are now engaged to the one occupation of 40 years ago, and said that this was the chief cause of the increase of women's responsibility.

Entering into her discourse, Mrs. Palmer said in part: "Our greatest responsibility is the training of girls for future endeavors and that training must be done in the school, the church and the home. We must set the standard and educate the girls in accordance with the change that has taken place in the last two score years.

"There is no question that arises that the girl as well as the boy should not be familiar with. We must teach them what makes patriotism, loyalty, earnestness and good municipal government.

"Men and women are comrades and they have an equal responsibility, though I sometimes think that the woman's responsibility, as far as the training of the young mind is concerned, is greater than the man's. There are about 13,000 public school teachers in the United States; only 1000 are men and the majority of the congregations of our churches are women. There is one idea that appears to have gained an unwarranted hold upon the public mind and that is, that the education of the boy or girl depends upon the chances afforded after he or she is 16 years old. This is a mistake. The manner of life, customs, disposition, etc., generally take root before the child arrives at that age, and if there is anything to be impressed it must be done while the disposition is yet easily moulded.

"There is nothing impossible with a New England girl; they are the souls of enthusiasm, interest, adaptation. I once heard the late Frances Willard break out in the middle of an address to the Wellesley College girls and exclaim: "Oh, girls! how glad I am you are alive; that you are so much alive.' I am indeed glad to think that the New England girl is so very much alive that all they need is the proper training of ideals, aims and education. Some fathers and mothers are so very, very good and kind to their children, that if the latter are at all obedient and good natured they think that is all required of them, that the natural course of events will teach them the rest. No need for me to comment upon this opinion of so many kind fathers and mothers any more than to say that they are wrong. Girls should go to college earlier than at the age of 16, for their minds are in better condition to be trained at an earlier age.

"The struggle is doubly hard, no doubt, for some girls on account of poor training and inherited difficulties but there is no New England girl that enters college that cannot overcome all that may lie in her way in the line of difficulties.

"To have the girls strong and healthy should be the chief aim, and we as women should see to it that the schools, the church and the home have the proper ventilation and insist upon it that the girls shall have the proper out-door exercise. It used to be that the girl of delicate constitution and nervous temperament was the ideal girl, but those days have passed. The ideal girl of today is the strong, healthy girl, healthy in mind and body and pure of spirit. We do not want to see the building of asylums and places of refuge constantly going on for the stowing away of the flower of American womanhood; and in order to avoid it we must see to it that the conditions surrounding our girls are congenial to health and we must begin in the kindergarten and in the home. We must create in the mind of the child a love for all that is natural and beautiful and it must be done before the child has gone beyond the years that accept love's teachings. Give your daughters simple pleasure and enough of it, but never for a moment forget your responsibility.

"It is possible to educate the child to speak as fluently and accurately with the brush and with the pencil as he or she can talk. 'I have been a teacher for 82 years and I know that this is so. We are a very masterful people and we should apply our power."

After the lecture there was an informal tea and the ladies who poured were Mrs. L. H. Swift, Mrs. Ralph A. Day of Lawrence, Misses Juliette Carter and Julia Pevey. Misses Hanson, Foss and Stevens assisted in passing, and frappe was served by Mrs. Frederick Farnham, Mrs. Frank Stowell with Miss Lyman and Miss Cheney for assistants.

Dr. Mitchell says in difficult cases of Anemia, he adds cod-liver oil half an hour after each meal and he likes to use it in an emulsion; that he has watched with growing surprise some listless, feeble, creature gathering flesh, color and wholesomeness of mind and body from this treatment.

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THE POLICE BOARD

Long List of Minor Licenses Granted.

MANY APPLICANTS GIVEN LEAVE TO WITHDRAW.

Licenses Granted to Sell Pure Alcohol.

The following business was transacted at last night's meeting of the board of police:

Licenses granted:

Intelligence offices, Sarah Bates, 116 Middlesex; Allison Moore, 44 Central.

Junk collectors, Harris Feinberg, 253 Aiken avenue; Derby Courcy, rear 25 Winter.

Second hand dealer, Israel Nannis, 332 Middlesex.

Junk dealer, Samuel Cohen, 20 Howard.

Pool and billiards, Wm. H. Bell, 349 Central; Michael J. Bruin, 493-514 Middlesex.

Fish wagon, George M. Teel, 147 Warwick.

To sell pure alcohol, Chas. E. Adams, 404 Middlesex; C. H. Coburn & Co, 63 Market; Talbot, D. C. & Co., 40 Middle.

Express wagons, Henry Pratt, 27 Philip; Prime Decoteau, 157 Salem; (new), American Express Co, Market and Central, 10 Wagons; Alfred Gloddy, 647 Merrimack; John H. Hanley, 7 Merrill, 2 wagons; (new) Boston and Lowell Express, Jackson street, 8 wagons.

Innholder, Michael J. Bruin, St. Lawrence hotel, Middlesex and Edward.

Common Victuallers—Georgianna Gagnon, 122 Middlesex; Emily W. Armstrong, 40 Shafer; Kate F. Fox, 78-80 Newhall; Charles H. Bennett, 264 Pawtucket; Russell McDonald, 1641 Middlesex; John McGarrell, 253 Middlesex; Eusebe Asselin, 404 Moody, Wolford N. Gilbert, 100 Andrew; Hannah Hurley, 394 Market; Ellen J. Henry, 13 Runels' place; Mary Saxe, 70 Appleton; Alphonse Billeville, 304 Moody; George Xanthankos, 213 Merrimack; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Jackson and Central; Maurice W. Mulcahey, Second and Bridge; Anastasio Loomis, 464 Market; Agnes Mulheir, 44 Franklin; Louis Dubec, 476 Merrimack; Mary Kerrigan, 3 Jewett street; Kate Gordon, 545 Middlesex; William J. Burbeck, Gorham and Middlesex; Annie Laughton, 744 Merrimack; Joseph Laferriere, 39 Hanover; James S. Davis, 359 Middlesex; Margaret McEachran, 33 Lee; John Leary, 373 Central; John P. Upton, 508 Rogers; Susie E. Barnet, 5 and 6 Mass. Corp.; David Laferriere, Boulevard and Ferry road; Edward O'Connor, 321 Lawrence; Prosper Milot, 42 and 44 Lee; Frank M. Spicer, 749 Middlesex; George Dugare, 301 Moody; Flora Deharrel, 220 Chelmsford; Adele Morin, 22 Lee; Lydia M. Schoolcraft, Moody and Prince; Mrs. Thomas H. Husband, 2 Davis square; Margaret O'Brien, 405 School.

Pawnbroker bond of T. H. Kelly & Co., accepted, approved and placed on file

Leave to withdraw granted on the following petitions:

Common victualler: Frank W. Phillips, 48 Cross; S. S. Cunningham & Co., 918 Gorham; Darwin L. Phillips, 17 Chelmsford; E. J. McHugh, 698 Gorham; D. E. Ready, 771 Broadway; Thomas Ilhag, 136 Dutton; Arthur Desjardines, 79 Cheever; Bridget Faulkner, 72 Jefferson; Margaret Rowan, 60 Concord; John McGovern, 146 Concord; Walter Booth, 73 East Merrimack; Ellen E. Sears, 32 Fifth avenue; Kate Hartwell, 38 White; Grace A. Hanson, 832 Lakeview avenue; Bergeron & Savard, 307 Mammoth road.

Express wagons, Adney Lovering, 91 Manchester; Geo. H. Scovel, 143 Forest; Louis Tanguey, 206 Hall.

Licenses granted.

Hawker and peddler, Head & Frye, Jackson; Meyer Klein, 119 Howard; Lewis E. Small, Tewksbury; Wm. J. Hart, 58 Jewett

Common victualler, Henry Carpenter, 142 Salem; John Donohue, 412 Suffolk; James W. Grady, 140 Worthen; Frank St. Onge, 615 Merrimack; Annie Kelly, 109 Princeton; Maurice W. Bowen, 368 Moody; Hermidas Arvisas, 71 Cabot; Edward Cinqmars, 240 Moody; Joseph Lagasse, 2 Carter's block, Lakeview avenue; Treffle Bombardir, 12 Lakeview avenue; Thomas Murphy, 379 Middlesex; Chas. Johnson, Jr., 3 Mammoth road; Patrick Brady, 175 Chapel; Arthur Hall, Fifth and Bridge; Lizzie Mylotte, 237 Hildreth; Agnes Redhead, 82 Salem; Rosetta Wood, 82 Branch.

Pawnbroker, T. H. Kelly & Co., 392 Middlesex.

Leave to withdraw:

Common victualler, Bernard McManus, 475 Lawrence; John Roberts, 456 Lawrence; Peter F Quinn, 35 Concord; Winifred Tomey, 73 Concord; Geo. S. Holt, 10 Cross; Margaret Clinton, 56 Marion.

Monthly bills approved.

The employes of the Franklin Dickey, the new proprietor with two handsome floral pieces on his arrival from Lowell, Monday.

WOOLEN SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union was held in Bay State hall last night. Twelve candidates were initiated and 15 propositions were accepted. Spinners were present from all the local mills. It is expected that many more spinners in Lowell will join the union before its next meeting. The election of officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be held the first Tuesday in June.

The marriage is announced of Miss Carolyn M. Gould of Branch street and Frederick M. Wilder of Brownville, Me. No cards.

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BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.

Some Seasonable Bargains in BELTS, TRMIMED SAILOR HATS, PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, FLOWER SEEDS, WINDOW SCREENS, etc.

Grand Opening Sale of Parasols and Sun Umbrellas This Week, Commencing Today. Low Prices.

BELTS.

Kid Belts in black and colors, **15 Cents Each**

Ladies' Belts in Kid and Leather, all shades, **19 Cents Each**

Our line of belts at 25c is superb, **25 Cents Each**

This is an odd price. The belts are worth 60c, **35 Cents Each**

At 49c we have seal, calf and fancy leather belts, **49 Cents Each**

Special Sale of Flower Seeds in our Basement. L. L. May's Celebrated Seeds, Warranted, 1c. a p'kg. This Week Only.

Sailor Hats, Walking Hats, Shapes.

We have recently bought (in fact, just marked off), several sample lots of fine Millinery, scarcely two pieces or Hats alike, at one-third regular prices. We will place the goods on sale today, if possible, at prices unheard of in the history of hats and bonnets. We mention 3 items here in hats. There are hundreds of others.

Ladies' Sailor Hats, (White Only), **19 Cents**

Ladies' fine grade straw shapes, in all colors and black, **25 Cents**

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors and Shapes, all new shades, etc., **49 Cents**

HOSIERY DEPT.

We have the best makes of hose made represented in our vast stock. We also buy from American manufacturers. Here's two case lots: **4c. a Pair**

1 case ladies' black hose, **8c. a Pair**

CHIFFON.

In connection with the great sale of millinery we will sell another lot of fine silk muslin chiffons at a price unheard of in all America, viz.: **10c. a Yard**

Not more than 12 yards to a customer.

GLOVE DEPT.

Just made a big hit on a purchase of high grade Kid Gloves (all on account of warm weather).

1st lot "R" regular dollar gloves, in all colors, button, lacing and clasp **79 Cents**

2nd lot high grade Kid Gloves, new embroideries, etc., **$1.00**

Door and Window Screens, Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers

WINDOW SCREENS.

One lot of window screens in hard wood, adjustable, **19 Cents Each**

One lot of window screen, extra large, adjustable, **25 Cents Each**

SCREEN DOORS.

We expect our screen doors in tomorrow, don't buy a door until you see ours and the prices. **75c. Upwards**

OIL STOVES.

Extra large 2 burner oil stoves, **89 Cents**

Extra large 4 burner oil stove, **$1.79**

Ice Cream Freezers. Alaska Freezer. (Made by the White Mountain Co.) 2 quart size $1.39, 3 quart size $1.69, 4 quart size $1.98 Every freezer warranted

See our millinery in windows today or tomorrow for specimen bargains—which will be on sale but cannot last longer than this week at the prices named.

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A Perfect Blood Purifier

The same wonderful properties that render "True's Elixir" so highly efficacious in expelling worms from the system make it a perfect cleanser of the blood. As a SPRING MEDICINE, no Sarsaparilla is so highly effective. TRUE'S ELIXIR acts AT ONCE! It expels all waste and extraneous matter; leaves the blood rich and pure, giving health and new life to the whole system!

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Under the New Management of the Dress Goods and Domestic Departments COOK, TAYLOR & CO, Central Street are to Inaugurate a

Grand Clearance Sale

For THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. The sale will include the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods and Domestics. We had intended to hold this sale a week earlier, but the rush of business and the amount of work necessary in remarking and re-arranging so large a stock has caused delay. But this delay will give you the advantage of buying from five or six cases of New WashGoods bought the past week.

Dress Goods Dept.

We are determined to make a clean sweep in this department during this month. We have been through the entire stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Novelties, etc., and put such low prices on them that we hope to virtually close out the whole stock of Crepons, Henriettas, Serges, Cheviots, Poplins, India Twills, Coverts, Novelties, Mixtures, Mohairs, Sicilians, Plaids, Broadcloths and Heavy Suitings.

We've not space to mention prices, but simply say that every yard, every piece of Dress Goods has been marked down to prices that ought and will sell them at once.

Come and Save Money.

Wash Goods and Domestics.

1 lot of 15c. Organdie Muslins, only 10c.

1 lot of 15c. Printed Wash Goods, Lace Effect .... Only 12 1-2c. yard

1 Solid Case of Printed Lace Lawns, a big bargain .... At 5c. yard.

1 lot of Corded Madras Ginghams, in Plaids and Stripes .. Only 25c. yard.

1 case of 27-inch Dress Ginghams regular 17c. Goods.... Only 12 1-2c. yard

1 Case of Fancy Dress Ginghams, Plaids and Stripes .... Only 9c. yard

1 case of Corded Dimities, beautiful styles .... Only 15c. yard

1 lot of corded Dimities, all new styles .... Only 12 1-2c. yard

1 case of Printed P. K. all new designs .... Only 10c. yard

Our Basement Dept. is a Busy Place.

We Offer in This Department

1 case of Staple Apron Ginghams, ... At 5c. yard.

1 Case of Best Prints, light and dark effects .... Only 4c. yard

Fruit of Loom 4-4 Bleached Cotton. .... Only 6 1-4c. yard

2 bales of Continental 4-4 Cotton, ... Only 5c. yard

100 dozen Honey Comb Towels .... Only 4c. each.

More than 100 pieces of crash to be closed out in our basement. Prices from .... 3 to 12 1-2c. yard

Basement.

(Continued)

1 lot of 75c. Crochet Bed Spreads, Great Bargain .... 50c.

Best Outing Flannel ...... Only 6 1-4c.

500 yards of Best Turkey Red Damask. (39 and 49c. goods) fast colors, only, ... 30c.

And hundreds of other bargains.

We got altogether too many pieces of Table Linen. We have marked down every piece, to close at once.

We also have about one hundred dozen linen Napkins that must go at a great sacrifice. A rare chance for housekeepers.

Linen Towels.

Hundreds of dozens of Linen Towels in Huck and Damask all marked down.

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Sheetings, all widths and all grades, at greatly reduced prices. Also special mark down prices on Sheets and Pillow Cases.

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